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ABANDON ALL HOPE OF RESCUE

ONE HUNDRED FIVE MEN IMPRISONED IN OKLAHOMA MINE

Explosion Followed by a Fierce Fire Prevents Entrance of Rescuers—Hemmed in by Obstruction Caused by Cave-in.

McCurtin, Okla., March 20.—At 7 o'clock to night government mine experts announced that hope of rescuinb any of the 105 men imprisoned in the Sans Bois mine here, by the explosion this morning, has been abandoned.

The explosion occurred on the ninth level and the mine is said to have caved in after the explosion. Most of the miners imprisoned are beyond the obstruction and a fierce fire makes work of rescuers practically impossible. The cause of the explosion has not been determined.

One badly mangled body was found near the eighth level entry. Nine men who escaped were wounded by flying wreckage in the shaft. Men on duty in the shaft house ran from that structure when the noise of the explosion came to their ears as a muffled road soon followed by puffs of smoke from the mine. The alarm spread quickly and for a time wild confusion reigned. Volunteers were called for to enter the shaft. Dozens stepped forward. A party was selected and had been lowered but a short distance into the shaft when the thickening smoke warned them that a fierce fire was in progress below. These were forced to return to the surface because of the deadly fumes.

An order was issued prohibiting any one to approach the mine. When news of this order spread, the crowds in the vicinity of the mine, already grief-stricken, assumed wild manifestations of grief. Here and there were to be seen groups of aged mothers, kneeling in the street and praying with tumultous voices for husbands or sons. Young wives aloud, clung to each other in despair, some finally to sink throughly exhausted to the street, moaning and frantically gasping out the names of their loved ones for whom little hope is entertained.

ASK FOR INQUIRY

Friends of Young Man Killed in Battle With Convicts Protest to Governor of State.

Omaha, Neb. March 20.—Interest in the battle with convicts near Chalco, Monday, when Roy Blunt, a young farmer, lost his life, centered today on who was responsible for Blunt's death and intense feeling was shown among the neighbors. They have asked Governor Aldrich to join in the investigation.

A brother of the dead man says he tried to prevent the officers from firing on the wagon containing Young Blunt and the three convicts, warning the pursuers that if they fired his brother would be killed.

Chief of Police John E. Briggs, of South Omaha, who took a leading part in the battle which resulted in the killing of Blunt, wired today from Chicago offering to turn over his share of the reward to Mrs. Blunt, the widow of the innocent victim.

Hart D. Reed, who finished a year's sentence in the penitentiary March 5, was arrested this afternoon charged with having aided the convicts in their dash for liberty.

PETITION DENIED.

Chicago Can Have Presidential Preference Primary.

Chicago, March 20.—Circuit Judges Windes to day denied the petition for a writ of prohibition to prevent a presidential preference primary in Chicago in connection with the regular state primary on April 9.

County Judge Owens on March 2, directed the city election commissioners to prepare for a preferential presidential ballot, the expense to be boren by the persons who applied for it, representatives of the Illinois Roosevelt league.

In his ruling the court said:

"The interest here in this particular case of political interests, as I regard it, and it is a general matter well settled in this state at least that courts should not interfere in political matters, except in extreme cases. The petition is denied."

TAFT BACK IN WASHINGTON

Washington, March 30.—President Taft got back to the white house late to day after his two days in England. Reports of an accident to Mrs. Taft in New York, kept the president i nthe state waiting room at the Union station here for fifteen minutes, while he talked to his brother Henry W. Taft, over the long distance telephone, but after he was assured that Mrs. Taft was uninjured, he entered a white house automobile and was driven immediately to the executive offices.

HARD ON TRAFFIC.

Joliet, Ill., March 20.—City and interurban traffic encountered difficulty in the blizzard which swept down upon the city about noon today, and continued all the remainder of the day. An ice gorge which had formed at Wilmington backed water up till all the low places in the city and Wilmington Island were inundated.

INDIANAFORMARSHALL

Democrats of State Will Back Their Governor For President—Convention Meets Today.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 20.—Every train into Indianapolis today brought scores of delegates to the Democratic State convention, which meets here tomorrow to nominate candidates for governor and other state officers and to select delegates at large to attend the Democratic national convention in Baltimore. Presidential electors also will be selected. The convention will meet in Tomlinson hall and will be composed of 1,717 delegates.

There appears to be no doubt of the nomination of Samuel Ralston of Lebanon for governor, since he received a solid delegation of 786 votes to the state convention through the influence of Thomas Taggart, former chairman of the national committee and for many years the undisputed boss of the Democratic party in Indiana.

Neither does there appear to be any great likelihood of a contest on the presidential instructions to be given the delegates to the Baltimore convention, as Indiana is expected to bestow her strength on her favorite son, Governor Thomas R. Marshall.

It is conceded that Governor Marshall should have the solid support of the state on the first ballot in the national convention, but it is doubtful if the Indiana delegates will be charged to remain with the governor until the end of the fight. It is generally believed that Mr. Taggart plans to throw the strength of the state to Harmon as soon as it becomes apparent that Governor Marshall has no chance of winning the race. This program is believed to be subject to change only in the event that Senator Korn should decide to enter the presidential race, a thing that is regarded as not only possible, but highly probable if the balloting for candidates should be protracted.

The choice of the state convention for delegates at large probably will fall upon Senators Kern and Shively, Mr. Taggart and a fourth man not yet agreed upon. William H. O'Brien, present state auditor, is slated to succeed Mr. Taggart as the Indiana member of the national committee. Taggart not being a candidate.

PRIZE FIGHTS

McGoorty Had Better of Ten Round Contest With Kelly—Morris Outpointed by Stewart.

Kenosha, Wis., March 20.—In ten rounds of uninteresting fighting here to night Eddie McGoorty of Oshkosh, Wis., clearly outpointed Hugo Kelly of Chicago. Under the state law no decision was permitted, but newspaper critics unanimously agreed that McGoorty had the better of the contest.

When the contest was ended Kelly was on the verge of collapse from exhaustion and terrific body punches from McGoorty who was fighting strong. Kelly made no attempt to fight until the battle was half over, but his ring generalship made McGoorty miss repeatedly from swings to the head.

In the first round McGoorty dropped the Chicagoan with a left punch to the chin for the count of nine. Thereafter McGoorty led in the milling, using a wicked left hand punch for his most effective blow, while Kelly backed away and fought cautiously.

Morris Outpointed.

New York, March 20.—Jim Stewart, the Brooklyn heavyweight, outpointed Carl Morris of Oklahoma in a ten round bout to night.

Stewart's work was cleaner cut than that of Morris, the Brooklynite landing straight left to the face and occasionally a right to the body and right uppercuts, while Morris depended a great deal on infighting.

FIRST SIGN OF SPRING.

New York, March 20.—Flaring circus posters adorning billboards and dead walls from the Battery to the Bronx remind the Gothamite these days that the coldest winter in years has become a matter of history and that spring is surcley here a last. No more infallible sign of the change in the seasons could be had than the announcement that the circus has come to town. Fresh from the witner quarters at Bridgeport, the Barnum & Bailey aggregation of animals and acrobats, riders and clowns, has taken possession of Madison Square Garden and has everything in readiness for the opening of the two weeks' season in the metropolis before taking to the road. The great feature of the show this year will be a pageant-hippodrome number entitled "Cleopatra." It will enlist a ballet of 300 girls, and more than 350 horses will take part in the chariot and other races in the piece. The initial performance will be given tomorrow night.

PACKERS' CASE.

Chicago, March 20.—United States District Attorney James H. Wilkerson demanded the conviction of the ten packers charged with criminal violation of the Sherman law in his closing address to the jury to day. He reviewed the evidence at length, declared the government had proved beyond all reasonable doubt every offense charged in the indictments.

Attorne Borders, representing the Morris group of defendants and Attorney John Barton Payne, representing Edward Tilden, president of the National Packing company, will deliver the closing addresses to the jury for the defense tomorrow. They will be followed by Special Counsel Pierce Butler, who will close for the government.

It is expected the case will go to the jury Friday.

HOME WRECKED EIGHT KILLED

TWO FAMILIES NEARLY WIPED OUT BY EXPLOSION.

Mother and Five Children Perish—Another Woman and Son Killed—Fire Breaks Out and Several Houses Are Destroyed.

Scranton, Pa., March 20.—By an explosion of gas or dynamite, supposedly gas, in Dunmore early today eight persons were killed and one seriously injured.

Two buildings were entirely destroyed and a number of others damaged.

The dead: Mrs. John Cavalla, Rose Cavalla, aged 3; Lizzie Cavalla, aged 14; Lucy Cavalla, aged 11; Dominick Cavalla, aged 9; William Cavalla, aged 20; Mrs. Vito Summa, Frank Summa, aged 4

Mamie Summa, aged 7, is in the state hospital in a critical condition. Her recovery is in doubt. The body of this little girl was found in a tree some distance from the explosion.

Father Alone Survives.

The explosion occurred at 3:30 this morning in the house of John Cavalla, Elm street, Dunmore. He was away from home at the time. The Cavalla family occupied the first floor of the building. The entire family save the father, is wiped out.

The second floor was occupied by Vito Summa and family. Mrs. Summa and her son are dead and the daughter is in the state hospital and will probably die. After the explosion cries from the branches of a tree some distance from the scene of the explosion caused an investigation and the body of the frightfully injured girl was found among the branches.

Flames Destroy House.

Following the explosion fire broke out, completely destroying the Cavalla house and the residence of Michael Simone, adjoining. The force of the explosion wrecked a number of buildings in the vicinity, the occupants having narrow escapes. The explosion shook the entire suburb.

The theory advanced by the authorities is that a quantity of gas had accumulated under the Cavalla dwelling and had been exploded in some manner. Mine workings are close to the surface at this point and it was only a few days ago that miners from the Nayaug colliery came to the surface through the cellar of a house near by. The gas theory seemed to be supported by flames that appeared in crevices on the surface near the scene of the explosion.

Another theory is that the explosion is the result of a plot.

NERVOUSSNESS OF GERMANY.

Comment of Paris Paper on Churchill's Speech.

Paris, March 20.—Alluding to what it calls the nervousness of Germany over the speech on the British naval budget delivered by Winston Spencer Churchill, first lord in the admiralty, the Temps declares that the great powers at the present moment are passing through a feverish stage and their internal difficulties are such that they have a common interest not to create fresh difficulties of an international character. The newspapers expressed the opinion that Mr. Churchill said nothing which Sir Edward Grey, the British foreign secretary, had not already said three years ago, although Mr. Churchill adopted a sharp tone in saying it which was very disagreeable to Germany.

WOMAN PLEADS GUILTY.

Charged With Giving Poison to Two of Her Children.

Milwaukee, March 20.—Mrs. Anna Laabs, on trial in the municipal court charged with administering poison to her little children, Walter and Herbert, aged respectively 7 and 5 years, on Sept. 26 last, the youngest child dying, pleaded guilty late to day to manslaughter in the fourth degree. The penalty is from one to two years' imprisonment. Sentence will be pronounced later. The plea was offered after her little son Walter had testified that his mother gave the children poison to drink.

WILL SAVE MILLIONS.

Washington, March 20.—The waste millions of dollars worth of natural gas w hich is going on each year in the petroleum fields of the country may be stopped in the near future by a plan made public today by the federal bureau of mines. Briefly, the plan as outlined by the oil experts of the bur eau is to take the so-called "wet gas" found in all the oil fields and obtain from it a liquefied gas, which is a by-product of the natural gas, is held under high pressure in steel containers and can be shipped to localities that do not have a gas system. In this way, small towns, hotels and country estates may have the advantage of gas illumination at a fair cost. This gas, it is thought, will also prove an excellent illuminant for lighthouses and lightships and other public works of a similar nature that must be located at a distance from a commercial supply of gas.

MAY RECONSIDER ACTION.

Washington, March 20.—By order of the house committee on naval affairs, Representative Padgett of Tennesse, the chairman, to day circulated a petition among the Democratic members for a caucus to reconsider the action taken several weeks ago declaring against an appropriation for battleships this year. Enough signatures were obtained and the caucus probably will be held Monday night.

WEDNESDAY IN CONGRESS.

Senate.

In session at 2 p. m.

Finance committee held hearing on chemical tariff reduction bill.

Considered fortifications appropriation bill.

Foreign relations committee considered Honduran and Nicaraguan loan treaties.

Adjourned at 5:29 p. m. until 2 p. m. Thursday.

House.

Met at noon.

State department committee began investigation of Secretary Knox's alleged use of department employe as a valet.

Chairman Padgett by order of naval committee circulated petition among Democrats for caucus to re-consider former caucus declaration against battleships appropriation this year.

Considered bills on regular Wednesday calendar.

A minority of interstate commerce committee filed report against Panama government bill contending assessment of tolls against American ships would aid railroads.

Insular and consuls representatives advocated before foreign affairs committee Sulzer bill providing against political affiliations in consular service.

Adjourned at 5:45 p. m. until noon Thursday.

AFRAID OE HARMON

Clark Asked to Withdraw From Nebraska President Preferential Primaries.

Des Moines, Ia., March 20.—Senator Thomas P. Gore of Oklahoma today authorized the statement that Speaker Champ Clark is to be asked to withdraw in favor of Woodrow Wilson from participation in the Nebraska presidential preferential primaries.

Senator Gore said that the Nebraska Progressive league, prior to the Bryan birthday banquet last night, adopted a resolution calling upon the speaker not to allow his name to go before the voters "in view of the rival candidacies of Woodrow Wilson and Judson Harmon."

Because of this fact that resolution declares that Clark's continued candidacy "may result in the success of Mr. Harmon, and thus endanger the cause of true Democracy in Nebraska."

The resolution promises that if Clark withdraws the committee will recommend that the Nebraska delegation "in the event that Wilson cannot be nominated, vote for Clark as its second choice."

MINIMUM WAGE BILL.

Balfour Will Lead Opposition to Measure.

London, March 20.—The fate of the minimum wage bill seems to be trembling in a balance. Balfour will move the rejection of the bill in the house of commons tomorrow. The dramatic appearance of Mr. Balfour in the role of leader of the opposition comes as a great surprise, the decision being taken at a meeting of prominent unionists. There is little doubt, however, that the government can carry the second reading of the bill as the labor party and the nationists have decided to give their support to that end.

A cabinet counsel will be held tomorrow to consider the whole situation. It is stated that the ministerialists still hold to the opinion that much of the opposiion to the bill will disappear when it comes to actual discussion.

The probability now is that the parliamentary discussion of the bill will extend into next week and that there will be no resumption of work by the miners until the bill is passed.

NATIONAL CONGRESS OF MOTHERS.

St. Louis, Mo., March 20.—Delegates and many visitors from all sections of the country were present at the opening here to day of the sixteenth annual "child welfare congress" under the auspices of the National Mothrs Congress and Parent-Teachers' association. The sessions will last four days. The program embraces a discussion of child labor, child hygiene, juvenile courts, home economics, public playgrounds and numerous other subjects dealing with the physical, mental and moral welfare of the child.

DAUGHTER OF LATE SENATOR TO WED.

Washington, D. C., March 20.—A wedding of interest to Southern society i nthe national capital will take place in St. John's church tomorrow night, when Miss Margaret Hawthorne Bryan, daughter of the late United States Senator Bryan of Florida, will become the bride of Robert Marshall Price of Harrisonburg, Va.

BALLOONS IN WARFARE.

Tripoli, March 20.—Two dirigible balloon making reconnaissance over the Zanzour oasis to day were received with a brisk fusillade. They dropped 22 bombs into the Arab camp, however, apparently with great effect, as the Arabs were seen to scatter in all directions.

MRS TAFT HAD A FALL.

New York, March 20.—Mrs. Taft, wife of President Taft, stumbled as she was alighting from a wheeled chair at the woman's industrial exhibit in the Grand Central Palace this afternoon and fell to the floor. She was not injured, and later was able to attend a matinee performance at a theater.

COUNTRY SWEPT BY FIERCE STORM

SWEEPING ACROSS NORTH CENTRAL STATES.

First Day of Spring Ushered in by Wintry Weatehr—Many Cities Shut Off From Communication With Rest of the World.

Chicago, March 20.—A blinding storm of snow and sleet swept across the north central states to day and continued to night, heaped disaster upon transportation and communication facilities. It was the first day of spring.

Half a hundred cities were shut off from communication with the rest of the world.

Steam and electric railroads, suburban and interurban, were brought to a standstill and in several instances trains were snowbound.

Later a temperary rise in temperature was followed by a colder blast and snow changed in many places to sleet. Zero weather was reported in several places.

RULES BALLOT MUST STAND

Judge Thompson Gives Decision of Wide Interest—Says Dissatisfied Candidates Have No Relief.

The purpose of four of the mandamus proceedings filed against Secretary of State Rose by candidates for Democratic state central committeemen questioning the petitions of opposing candidates was temporarily defeated this morning when Circuit Judge Owen P. Thompson refused an order of defualt against the secretary of state on motion of Attorney Francis E. Hinckley of Chicago, representing the petitions. Judge Tompson allowed the defense the entire day in which to file their proposed demurrers. Meanwhile the ballot was certified by Secretary Rose to the various county clerks.

The petitioners, through Attorney Hinckley, threaten to carry their fight into every county. Mandamus proceedings against every clerk in the district where the committeemen are candidates will be asked in an effort to nullify the petitions of their opponents.

No Remedy in Sight.

The ruling of the court on allowing the entire day when the summons are returnable for the filing of the answer to the petitions was taken as holding that there is no remedy under the present primary law whereby a candidate who has lost first place in the filing can secure the coveted place by court process. In the Small case the petition was held subject to demurrer on grounds of premature action when it was filed five days before the time of certifying the ballot to the county clerks. In the present cases, the petitions were filed on the fifth day previous to the certification of the ballot, but it was held by the court that the secretary of state had the entire day, up until the time of adjournment at 5 o'clock in which to file answer or demurrer.

By this holding, the secretary was allowed to certify the ballot before it became necessary to answer the petitions for mandamus, destroying the effect of the mandamus and defeating the action.

The Court's Ruling.

In speaking of the matter, Judge Thompson said:

Under present primary law there Under the present primary law there is no way in which a candidate who loses first place on the ballot in filing can regain the position by court action. The law does not provide a sufficient remedy for such circumstances, and the candidates whose petition is first filed by the secretary of state may be assured that there is no court process that can disturb his position."

A mandamus proceeding in behalf of Chauncey Dewey, a Chicago candidate for state central committeeman, questioning the sufficiency of the petition of a rival candidate whose name was certified ahead of that of Dewey, will probably be instituted in the local circuit court this week. Attorneys representing Dewey have taken the matter up with Attorney General Stead, and if no agreement is reached, process will be instituted. Dewey alleges that the petition of the rival candidate is entirely insufficient.

HUNDREDS ARE SUFFERING.

Grimsby, England, March 20.—The effect of the coal strike here is appearing. To day 300 starving men marched to the town hall and begged relief. The mayor promised to raise funds to supply thier wants. Meanwaile food was distributed by the chief constable. Hundreds of others are suffering in silence.

YATES TO RESUME TOUR.

Richard Yates, who has been in Chicago undergoing treatment for his throat, will resume his tour of the state next Monday morning. A special train has been secured and he will pick up his itinerary at Downer's Grove, delivering ten speeches per day.

INVESTIGATE CAR SHORTAGE.

Washington, March 20.—Paymaster John S. Higgins, U. S. N., who has charge of the navy coal contracts, was today ordered by Secretary Meyer to Norfolk to investigate car shortage. The operators have told the secretary that although there was coal at the mines they were delayed in moving it to tide water by the lack of cars tied up in western cities.

MANY MINERS MAY BE IDLE

GENERAL SUSPENSION OF WORK MAY COME APRIL 1.

Coal Operators and Representatives of Mine Workers Cannot Come to Agreement on Wage Scale—Both Sides Stand Firm.

Cleveland, O., March 20.—Wage discussions between the operators and representatives of 200,000 miners in the bituminous coal fields of western Pennsylvania, Ohio, Indiana and Illinois, held in an effort to avert a prolonged suspension of business after April 1 and also to avert a possible strike, today were without definite results.

The prospect that all the bituminous coal mines would be closed down after the first of the month, pending the making of a new two year working and wage agreement, was today said by President John P. White, to be imminent. It also was said the lack of a wage scale in the central states would leave the union bituminous coal miners in other states without a basis upon which to work and they would have to close, entailing idleness for more than 350,000 miners.

After today's conference adjourned over until tomorrow, the union officials and operators announced only the first of the miners' demands had been considered and no vote had been taken. This demand is that all the men be paid on the "run of the mine" basis.

In the readjustment of this basis the miners demand an increase of ten cents a ton over the average price now paid.

They also want shorter working hours. As an offset to the miners' demands the operators ask a ten per cent reduction in the present rate.

Duncan McDonald, representing the 72,000 Illinois miners, informed the conference that the miners in that state who are paid a day rate would demand an increase of twenty per cent and shorter working hours.

BLIZZARD RAGING.

LaCrosse, Wis., March 20.—A blizzard is raging in Western Wisconsin. Snow began falling late to day and, driven by a strong wind, began to drift over the railroads and highways.

Five Inches of Snow.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 20.—Dubuque and surrounding territory are in the raps of a mid-winter blizzard to night. Five inches of snow had fallen during the day and forecast indicated that it would continue to fall all night. Trains are behind their time schedulces and it is feared all roads near here will be blocked by morning.

Blockade of Traffic.

Boone, Iowa, March 20.—Blockade of all traffic near here is existing as the result of a blizzard this afternoon. It is the worst storm in the history of the city. Snow is banked in many roads many feet high and all north and south railroads are tied up completely.

SPECIAL SESSION IN MAINE.

Augusta, Me., March 20.—Called together in special session by Governor Plaisted, the members of the Maine legislature assembled to day to revise the election laws, re-district the state for the purpose of electing representatives to congress and to prepare something in the way of liquor legislation.

DRUG MANUFACTURERS HEARD.

Washington, D. C., March 20.—A hearing was given to day at the Department of Agriculture by the pure food and drug board to the manufacturers of opium, morphine and its derivatives. The department has been trying for some time to limit the trade in habit-forming drugs and infant medicines containing morphine and kindred products. This activity has inconvenienced the manufacturers of proprietary medicines to some extent, thus leading to a protest against the drastic enforcement of the law.

BILLS DEFEATED.

Boston, March 20.—Women suffrage and the election of United States senators by direct vote were defeated in the senate to day by close votes. The vote against suffrage was 17 to 14, and that against direct votes for senators 19 to 14.

MARKS IDENTIFIED.

Chicago, March 20.—Tattoo marks on a piece of flesh cut off the arm of a man's body found dead on the Santa Fe railroad tracks two weeks ago, to day, identified the man as C. J. Geiger. The flesh was treated with a tanning solution, and under the microscope revealed the name.

TAFT DELEGATES.

Burlington, Ia., March 20.—First district delegates to Republican national convention: Lot Abraham, Mt. Pleasant, and E. L. McClerken, Morningsun, instructed for Taft.

NOT A CANDIDATE.

Jefferson City, Mo., March 20.—Governor Hadley to day declared he is not a candidate for vice president and wrote the secretary of state of Nebraska, where his name has been presented for filing as a candidate, not to place his name on the official primary ballot.

BURNED TO DEATH.

Charles City, Iowa, March 20.—Walter Waid was burned to death, with four horses, in an Illinois Central frieght wreck near here to day. He was on his way from Potomac, Ill., to Grand Forks, N. D., as caretaker for the horses.

WOMAN SUICIDES AFTER ARREST

DISGRACE CAUSED MRS. CARSON TO HANG HERSELF.

Brooded Over Arrest and Loss of Jewels Worth $20,000—Was Prominent San Francisco Club Woman and Had Just Completed Tour of World.

New York, March 20.—Temporarily insane because of her arrest for smuggling, Mrs. Blanche M. Carson, believed to be the widow of Edwin Carson, a wealthy San Franciscoan, hanged herself in a most sensational manner today. She fled from the Hotel Wolcott, where she had been living since her arrival from Europe last Monday, after she was arrested last night. After registering at the Hotel Broztell, Fifth avenue and Twenty-seventh street, she was given a room on the eighth floor on the Fifth avenue side.

The woman brooded all night over her disgrace and the loss of her jewelry, valued at $20,000, which had been seized by the federal authorities. Finally, early today, she arose, put on a pale blue lounging robe over her nightdress and got a long trunk rope. One end of it she securely fastened to the radiator in her room. The other she placed about her neck. She then opened the window of her room and jumped out.

Body Dangles in Air.

How long her body hung there, swaying from side to side, dangling high above the pavement, is not known. It was discovered by occupants of the fashionable Knickerbocker apartments, who notified the hotel management. The woman had been dead for some time when the body was taken back to the room.

The coroner's office was notified and search of the woman's effects revealed $1,240 in cash and a sheaf of letters addressed to many residents of Pacific coast cities, including one to her brother, Paul R. Mabury, of 919 West Twenty-eighth street, Los Angeles. So far as could be learned

Undervalues Her Jewels.

The woman was fashionably dressed, apparently about 50 years old, and plainly a woman of culture. She had declared loose pearls on which she placed a valuation of $800, which, she said, was what she paid for them while traveling in India. The expert appraiser and other officials who saw the pearl immediately put their value at many thousands of dollars and they sent the gems to the appraiser's stores. Yesterday when called before Surveyor Henry the woman confessed the pearls were much more valuable than she had said and also that she had smuggled in two diamond ear-rings in the lining of her hat. She turned all of her jewelry over to the officials and tearfully confessed her sorrow that she had tried to a commit a crime.

When Henry announced that she was under arrest and she was taken before United States Commissioner Carpenter in Jersey City, the woman collopsed. Because she had admitted the facts, her bail was placed at only only $2,000, which was promptly furnished by her attorney, Harrison Osborne. She went back to the Wolcott and paid her bill. She then went to the Hotel Broztell, where she later hanged herself.

Completes Tour of the World.

San Francisco, Cal., March 20.—Mrs. Edwin Carson, who committed suicide in the Broztell hotel, New York, this morning, was the widow of Edwin Carson, and was one of the most prominent club women of this city.

She left here last August on a tour of the world. She was supposed to have left Paris March 13, for the United States and the report that she arrived from Bremen puzzles her sister, Miss Mabury.

Mrs. Carson was scheduled to deliver a lecture before the Century club here on her return.

PASS FORTIFICATION.

Washington, March 20.—The bill making appropriations for fortifications was passed by the senate today. It carries $4,186,235, or about a million and a quarter less than the appropriation of last year.

ROOSEVELT DELEGATES.

Portland, Maine, March 20.—South Portland, the first city in Maine to elect delegates to the Republican state convention in Bangor, April 10, has instructed its delegates in favor of Roosevelt.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, March 20.—For Illinois: Heavy snow in north and central portions; rain or snow and colder in south portion Thursday; high northeast and north winds; Friday colder and probably fair.

TEMPERATURES.

Chicago, March 20—Current, maximum and minimum temperatures today were:

	Current	High	Low
Boston	30	56	48
Buffalo	22	24	24
New York	36	54	44
New Orleans	72	86	66
Chicago	22	22	20
Detroit	22	22	18
Omaha	16	24	24
St. Paul	16	24	24
St. Paul	16	18	12
Helena	22	24	8
San Francisco	60	60	46
Winnipeg	16	20	10

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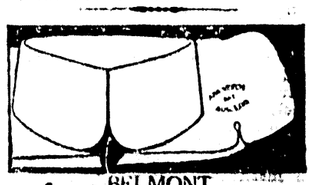
ATTENDED CHICAGO CONFERENCE.

C. W. Brown returned yesterday morning from Chicago where he went to attend a conference of representatives of Illinois-Michigan canal, the sanitary board of Chicago and the Drainage association. The conference was held at the La Salle hotel and was presided over by Governor Deneen. The majority at the conference voted in favor of the proposition to turn into the Illinois river from Lake Michigan a volume of water equally 10,000 cubic feet a minute. The war department will be asked for authority to turn this water in and the removal of dams will not be asked until it was been shown that navigation will not be injured by such action. Representatives of drainage and transportation interests along the Illinois river were present to protest against the proposal to turn in the volume of water, alleging that great damage would result therefrom.

LOST CARRIAGE HORSE.

S. T. Anderson lost his carriage horse yesterday, the animal being found dead in a field on the farm of R. S. Wood, where it had been during the winter months.



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RAILWAY FRANCHISE ADOPTED BY COUNCIL

Vote Will be Taken April 16—Messrs. Brown and Newman Offer Amendments.

At an adjourned meeting of the city council held Wednesday morning the ordinance calling an election on the street railway franchise to be held April 16 was given its first reading. The street railway franchise ordinance was given a final reading and was then passed by a vote of three to two, Mayor Davis, Commissioners Engel and Knollenberg being for the measure and Commissioners Brown and Newman against it.

Prior to this vote Mr. Brown had offered amendments to sections three and five of the ordinance, which amendments if adopted would have cut out the provision for the operation of one man cars and would have made it obligatory on the company to put in iron poles in place of wooden ones now in use when the wooden ones rot out or are removed for other causes. These amendments were defeated by the same vote as is mentioned above. The position of Mr. Brown and Mr. Newman was made clear in a communication to the council which was received and placed on file and is printed below.

Mayor Davis and Commissioners Engel and Knollenberg took the position as to iron poles that the matter was agreed upon several weeks ago, that the number of wooden poles in use is small and that they do not look much worse on the streets than do the iron poles. As to one-man cars they maintained that such cars are successfully operated in Cairo, where Messrs. Engel and Knollenberg went to inspect them, that unless such cars are satisfactory to the public that the company will be compelled to put on other cars in order to secure patronage and further that the ordinance contains a provision that one-man cars cannot be operated if they are found unsafe.

The election ordinance names judges and clerks for the first and second wards as follows. Officials for the third and fourth wards were provided in the board of education election ordinance:

First ward—No. 1, judges, Patrick Quigley, John Pires, John Shields. Clerks, Richard Leary, Fred Runkel, Walter Quinlan. No. 1, judges, John Ferry, Michael McGinnis, Harry Norris. Clerk, John Devlin, Joseph Sheehan, Edward Jackson.

Second ward—No. 1, judges, Ben Cohen, E. M. Henderson, Sam Hunt. Clerks, A. F. Franks, Joshua Vasconcellos, Gus Graubner. No. 2, judges, Haller Higgins, Frank Goveia, Fletcher Hopper. Clerks, Richard Vasey, Percy Owen, Joseph DeFreitas.

Mr. Brown recommended the purchase of six cars of coal for storage at the water works in view of the impending coal strike or shut down. Mayor Davis and Mr. Newman were instructed to take up the matter of the Wabash crossing on Webster avenue and to see if it cannot be put into better condition at an early date. Mr. Newman mentioned the trouble which exists in the North Church street sewer which seems inadequate for the service required of it. It was the opinion of Mr. Newman that the trouble was caused by property owners who diverted drainage from their lots into the sewer, changing the natural water course. The property owners will be expected to take measures for their own relief. The communication from Mr. Brown and Mr. Newman follows:

Urge Adoption of Amendments.

March 18, 1912.

The Members of the City Council, Jacksonville, Ill.

In presenting the amendments to the ordinance granted the franchise of the Jacksonville Street Railway company, we do so with the feeling that the provisions contained in these amendments are for the general welfare of the public and the patrons of the street railway lines.

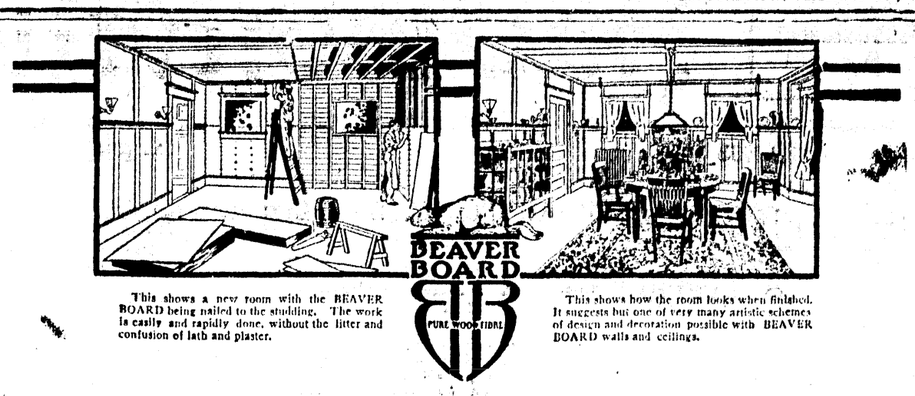
In the section providing for the uniform poling of the city: This is a provision which is no more than should be required of any company doing business on any of our streets, and the construction with iron poles presents a neater and more sightly appearance than wooden poles, is more substantial and does not require the same amount of space. The requirement limiting the voltage of the trolley goes to the safety of all aerial workmen as well as all others who would be endangered by an excessive voltage in case of accident. The provision requiring the bonding of the rails is for the protection of all underground pipes or conductors, and water works system, and telephone companies have been damaged by electrolysis in many places to an extent difficult to estimate. None of these requirements place any particular hardship on the company, as in each case there is a corresponding benefit.

The provision granting the specific authority to operate cars with one man is conceded by both the attorney for the city and the attorney for the company, as not absolutely necessary to the company if they desire to use such type of car. Therefore, why make it a condition of the ordinance?

Furthermore, the first consideration of the patrons of the road is the service, and this service cannot be as good with this type of car as with the present, and a condition which is an experiment and which may at any time have to be abandoned, should not be made a specific condition of an ordinance, when other conditions imposed by the ordinance may be limited by this condition. The interests of the company are well defined and established by this ordinance, and these are but a few of the points in which the city is very much interested, and these interests should be protected.

Respectfully submitted,

C. W. Brown,
Commissioner of Public Property.
William Newman,
Commissioner of Streets and Public Improvements.



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A Former Jacksonville Girl is Making a Mark in the Far West.

A. E. Winship, writing for the Boston Congregationalist says:

It is not easy for persons who are familiar only with New England, or see the west solely from the windows of the Overland Limited, to realize how fascinating frontier life can be to a woman used to the comforts and luxuries of the east or of the middle west. One of the rare privileges of a knowledge of all America is that of knowing some of the teachers who revel in the life of the newest new west.

Miss Rowena Rowen is one of the women who have adapted themselves to the land that has adopted them. Her grandfather was for some time president of Illinois college at Jacksonville, when it was a pioneer Congregational institution. There Rowena Rowen was born and there she was educated in high school and college, and later, in Chicago university.

Now, while still under thirty, Miss Rowen is teaching in a railroad junction village in Montana. The prospect of a hundred dollars a month for ten months tempted her, and her credentials tempted the school trustees, so Rowena Rowen blew into Laurel with two trunks and a box of two hundred books.

There was absolutely no place for her to board where she could have a room to herself, to say nothing of getting her books into it. The first day after she "struck the town" and learned the facts she bought a site, sketched the plan of a little one room home, sixteen by twenty-four, purchased the requisite lumber and hired two carpenters. Soon she was living in an attractive house of her own, with book shelves built into the walls, with a piano bought on the installment plan and with furniture adapted to the situation. It is really quite the coziest and most attractive home in the village. True, she borrowed most of the money from the bank; but she turned several dollars by buying and selling two adjoining lots, and she lived most economically, so when the year closed she had her house and lot nearly paid for and had met every monthly payment on her piano. She spent her long vacation in study at the state normal school summer session, her board of education paying all the bills. Nothing could tempt her, she says, to go back to Chicago or Jacksonville.

Miss Osborne, a graduate of Mt. Holyoke college, 1908, is living a much more distinctly frontier life than is Miss Rowen. Immediately upon graduation this New England girl went to Chouteau county, the second largest county in the United States. She was tempted by $75 a month for ten months in a genuine ranch school with fewer than ten pupils. Besides this, she has her board as well as a saddle horse for her exclusive use.

A year ago Supt. W. F. Gordy offered her a position in the Springfield (Mass.) high school, but she said, "No, thank you." She has entered upon her fourth year in that Montana school, as prosperous as she is happy.

The more I know of the spirit, the freedom, the prosperity of these girls who go from lives of culture, the less I wonder at the charm of that life.

The writer of the foregoing is a little mixed in his statement of facts. Illinois college never was an avowedly Congregational institution. Some of the faculty belonged to that church, but the most claimed for it was distinctly religious and no more. Miss Rowen's grandfather was Rev. W. D. R. Trotter, a pioneer circuit rider and later presiding elder of the Methodist church and greatly honored and respected, but he never was in any way connected with Illinois college.

Miss Rowen was always studious, industrious and enterprising as well as aspiring and it will be a pleasure to her friends to know that she is doing so well. Her mother and aunt, Mrs. Caldwell, both now live at the Trotter homestead on East State street.

St. Patrick's dance at Woodmen's hall to night. Adm. 25c. Ladies free.

C. C. Sheppard has returned from a business trip to Chandlerville and Virginia.

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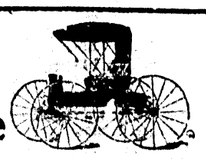
Becker The  **Man**

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CITY AND COUNTY

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Andrew Butler is a visitor in Scottville.

Miss Melinda Struck of Arenzville was shopping in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Willard helped represent Concord in the city yesterday.

Gus Henry of Franklin was a Wednesday business visitor in the city.

Miss Emma Tomhave of Neelyville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Henry Tholen of Chapin was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. Koch of Neelyville was a shopper in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Charles Blakeman of Murrayville was one of the shoppers with Jacksonville merchants yesterday.

Mrs. J. H. Fountain of Chapin was among the arrivals in the city yesterday.

C. H. Denney of Bridgeport, Ill., was transacting matters of business in the city yesterday.

Miss Eleanor Franklin of Boston, Mass., was registered in the city yesterday.

Shirley Moore of Chicago was among the business men in the city yesterday.

L. B. King of St. Louis was calling on some of the Jacksonville business men yesterday.

Joseph Blackburn of the neighborhood of Ebenezer was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Mrs. J. P. Dresbach of Arenzville was in the city yesterday shopping and visiting her sister, Mrs. T. B. Fozzard.

Miss Wright of Concord was in the city yesterday visiting her mother, Mrs. Sibert.

A. J. Pratt of Griggsville was in the city yesterday shaking hands with some of his many Jacksonville friends.

Mrs. Binning of Concord was among the shoppers in the city yesterday.

Mrs. Goodwin of Chicago was expected in the city last evening for a visit with her mother, Mrs. Thomas Sutcliff on North Church street.

G. C. Clemens and Frank Vickery went to Naples yesterday to help Germanate the ducks along the river.

Miss Mary Broadmann, who has been visiting at the home of Mrs. Charles K. Moore on West North St., has returned to her home in Pana, Ill.

J. C. Andras of Manchester was transacting business in Jacksonville yesterday.

Dr. Waters of Nortonville was a professional caller in the city yesterday.

Charles Freitag of Winchester was among the visitors in the city Wednesday.

R. L. Wyatt of Murrayville was a Wednesday business visitor in the city.

Charles and Daniel Cook of Sinclair were trading in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. William Breeding of Bath were among the visitors in the city Wednesday.

Dr. J. H. Stewart, Jr., of Exeter was in the city Wednesday on business.

George Barnhart of Woodson was a business visitors in the city yesterday.

William H. Stull has returned from Denver, Colorado, where he has been for the past three weeks.

Mrs. Edward Harmon and her niece, Miss Bernice Harmon of Arenzville were shopping in Jacksonville Wednesday.

William Heitt of Beardstown was among the Wednesday business callers in the city yesterday.

Mr. and Mrs. George Leake of Franklin have returned from an extended stay in Hot Springs, Ark.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Howard and son, Glenn, expected to attend the funeral services of Miss Edith Arundel at Bluffs this afternoon.

Alexander Cundeff was among the business visitors in the city yesterday from Arenzville.

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Allen of Lynnville were trading in the city yesterday.

George Wheeler of Sinclair was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Henry Wessel and son were representatives of Arenzville in the city yesterday.

George Shelp of New Berlin was attending to business matters in the city yesterday.

Mrs. George Gerlach of Canadian, Texas, has arrived in the city for a visit at the home of her father, H. H. Knollenberg on South Main street.

Charles Friday rode up from Winchester yesterday with three mules which he had sold and which he was to deliver in the city. He was assisted by Orville Gather in driving the long eared animals and had no complaint to make of either dust or flies on the way.

Uncle Robert Wyatt of Murrayville was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

R. G. Crum of Virginia was among the business visitors in the city yesterday.

John E. Fish, traveling freight agent of the Alton, was a business caller in Jacksonville Wednesday.

J. H. Stewart, Jr., of Exeter was transacting business in the city yesterday.

W. R. Blackburn of Virginia was a Wednesday business caller in Jacksonville.

Albert Pugh of Paris, Mo., was in the city Wednesday on his way to Waverly, where he formerly resided.

A. J. Pratt of Griggsville was transacting business in the city Wednesday.

Mr. and Mrs. Kennith Beorup of Alexander were Wednesday visitors in the city.

William F. Smith of San Jose was in the city last night to attend the grand ceremonial of the Knights of Khorassen.

The display of beautiful millinery at MRS. STALLINGS will be continued two days longer.

Miss Dinda Evans has taken a position in the office of the Illinois Woman's college.

Mr. and Mrs. C. E. Cussin, who have been spending the past two days at the home of Mrs. Cussin's aunt, Mrs. E. O. Tandy, returned to their home in Franklin yesterday.

J. E. Riley of St. Louis, who was recently injured by a fall on the south side of the square and had to return to his home is again able to be out on the road again. He was calling on friends in the city yesterday.

James Baker, Edward Allen and Edmond Rogers of Sinclair were hauling the household effects and livestock belonging to Ben Allen to the city and loading them for Lockhart, Minn., where Mr. Allen has rented a large farm. His son, Edward Allen, will accompany him.

OPENING CONTINUED.

So many ladies have wanted to see the beautiful good at the millinery store of Mrs. Stallings, it has been decided to continue the opening, or display two days more.

TEETH KNOCKED OUT.

Frank Bracewell, who met with an accident Tuesday evening while riding his motorcycle on West College street, was able to get around all right yesterday. The accident was caused by a dog running out in front of the machine and being caught under the wheel so as to throw the cycle over. Mr. Bracewell's only injuries were to his face. He had four teeth knocked out and his jaw was badly lacerated.

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WILL MOVE TO CITY.

Joseph Kumle of Alexander has purchased of the Misses Anderson the property at 853 West College avenue and will move soon to the city. Mr. Kumle's son, William, will live on the home place.

Mrs. Stallings' millinery opening continued to day and tomorrow.

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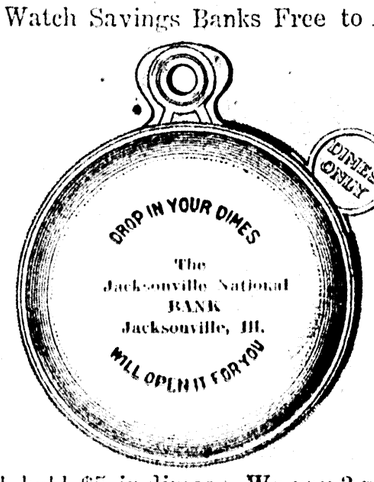

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Fancy White Sherrette at ..... 25c yd
Plain White Flaxon from..... 15c to 35c yd

Fancy White Flaxon at..... 25c yd
Plain White Bengaline for..... 0c yd
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INDOOR ATHLETICS

Various Classes of Illinois College Will Compete Saturday Night—Hedgecock Chosen Baseball Captain—"I's" Awarded.

The various classes in Illinois college and Whipple Academy will compete in an indoor meet Saturday evening the college gym and from the interest already manifested, a lively time is anticipated. It has been three years since an indoor meet was held at Old Illinois and Coach Harmon thought it about time the athletic contest, which had proved so profitable in the past years, be revived. When mentioned among the students all seemed heartily in favor of the meet.

There is considerable new material in the school, so that it is a question just what class can furnish the best team to carry off the honors. The preliminaries will be concluded this afternoon. According to arrangements each class will be privileged to have two men enter for each event, and there will be twelve events as follows:

Twenty-yard dash.
Shot put.
Throwing medicine ball.
Running high jump.
Runing broad jump.
Pole vault.
Twenty yards low hurdles.
Running high kick.
Standing high jump.
Standing broad jump.
Wheelbarrow race.
Relay race.

Heretofore a banner has been given the class who carried off the honors, but that will not be the rule this year. The points in the meet will count as follows: Five for first place, three for second and one for third place.

Meet With Y. M. C. A.

Plans are being laid for an indoor meet with the Y. M. C. A., to take place Friday evening, March 29. The "Y" has a splendid team and the meet gives promise of being a close one.

Amendment to Constitution.

At the board of control meeting an amendment to the constitution was made, which provides that the treasurer of the organization must make a financial report at each of the two meetings held monthly by the board. James Monroe is treasurer of the board.

Were Awarded "I's."

The board of control of athletics at Illinois college held a meeting Tuesday evening and awarded the "I's" to the basketball men. This is the only official recognition that the men receive from the board.

The following were those who received the emblems: John Phillips (Capt.), Hedgecock, Swain, Bucheit, Jaccard and Darragh.

The finances of the board are in a favorable condition and they expect to come out even this year. The athletes are looking forward with considerable interest to the two track meets which will be held this year and the twelve baseball games, which are scheduled for this season.

Dance Is Postponed.

The regular dance at Illinois college, which was to have taken place Saturday evening, has been postponed until the 30th of March, on account of the indoor track meet, which will take place next Saturday night.

Hedgecock Chosen Captain.

At a meeting of the Illinois college student body Wednesday morning LeRoy Hedgecock was chosen as captain of the baseball team for the coming season. This is Hedgecock's last year in college and during his four years in the school he has taken a great interest in athletics and the honor conferred upon him is a just one.

READY FOR DEBATE

Jacksonville High School Trio of Young Women Debaters Will Strive for Honors Against Beardstown Tomorrow Night.

The trio of Jacksonville High school debaters, composed of Misses Lelia Struck, Sylvan Peak and Clara Lane, will go to Beardstown tomorrow, where, in the evening, they will debate the initiative and referendum question against a team from the Beardstown High school.

Jacksonville has the affirmative side of the question and the J. H. S. debaters will speak in the order named, with Miss Sylvan Peak, giving the closing speech. Little is known of the strength of the Beardstown debaters, but two of their representatives were over here on the occasion of the debate between J. H. S. and the Quincy High school. The local school has a strong team in the trio of girls, each one being especially gifted as a public speaker. They have received excellent training and expect to bring home the honors for their school.

The debaters will be chaperoned by Mrs. J. W. Lane, and they will leave over the Burlington at 11:25 making the Park hotel in Beardstown headquarters. A large number of rooters will go over on the evenign train at 5 o'clock and they will be accompanied by Principal and Mrs. R. O. Stoops, Prof. Bate, Prof. Cook and a number of the teachers.

The judges will be: Prof. Simonds, of Knox college, head the English department; Mr. Maynard, head of the English department of Monmouth college. The third judge will be a professor from Lombard college.

NOTICE.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather we will continue our special millinery display during Thursday.

H. L. & L. M. Smith.

OWN VALUABLE HOG.

J. P. Larrimore of Kinderhook was in the city Wednesday enroute home from Little Indian where he had been on business with Charles Stevenson. While there he purchased for the sum of $200 a half interest in a thoroughbred Poland-China boar Mr. Stevenson has owned. The animal will now head both the Stevenson and Larrimore herds.

HERE IN INTEREST OF WOODROW WILSON.

William Brown of Chicago will be in the city to day to confer with local people interested in the candidacy of Governor Woodrow Wilson of New Jersey. Mr. Brown formerly resided in this city and is a brother of Alden Brown. He will have headquarters at the Dunlap house.

Mrs. Stallings invites all to her display to day and tomorrow.

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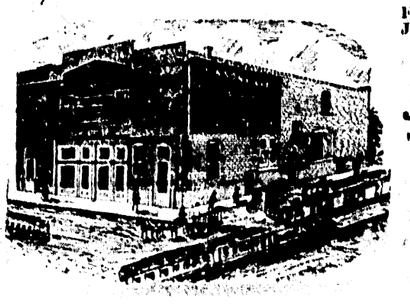

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We are constantly searching the markets for the

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We have just received our new spring line of Hawkeye Baskets. These baskets are made by expert craftsmen, some of whom have spent their entire lives in perfecting themselves in the art of basket weaving. The workmanship is not only the best that can be produced, but the materials are of the highest quality that can be had anywhere. In addition to the odd and quaint constructions one of the chief charms of our baskets lies in the artistic colorings. The soft, subdued craftsman colors, blend readily with almost any surroundings.

See the Full Line on Display in Our Windows

Rayhill's China Store

SNOW, WIND AND SLEET

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the weight of the ice and that means, of communication was almost entirely destroyed for the time. The telegraph wires were in but little better condition and the railroads were actually blocked by the ice on the rails for a short time.

In this vicinity the sleighing was good almost continuously up till the 15th of February, at which time a great thaw set in, causing floods, which did much damage to bridges and other wise. At the beginning of the thaw there was about one foot of snow and ice on the ground

D. O. K. K. CEREMONIAL

Large Crowd Attends Great Meeting in K. of P. Hall in Spite of Bad Weather — Thirteen Candidates Given Work.

The Knights of Khorassen of Ilderim Temple conducted an imposing ceremonial Wednesday night in the K. of P. hall and in spite of the inclemency of the weather, about 125 were present to enjoy the program and witness the initiation of a class of thirteen candidates.

The program of the evening included a number of excellent musical selections by Dr. C. B. Magill, W. W. Gillham, M. E. Gilbert, L. E. Smith and J. H. Russel. "The Scepter of Sin," a dramatic work, given by Ralph I. Dunlap and James I. Graham, assisted by Herbert Smith, William Suhy, Ernest Stout and Edward Tendick, was presented in a most effective manner and was highly appreciated. The electrical feature of this, which was in charge of G. A. Sieber, contributing much to the effect. Too much cannot be said for the drill work of McCarty's Arabs. The team last night was at its best.

Those who crossed the burning sands were W. F. Council, Ray Hartman, Mayor George W. Davis, Arthur Franz, Carl Taylor, W. A. Spainhower, Herbert Capps, W. S. Badger, John Reuter, Wilbur Jeffries and Dr. Charles Hopper. Among the visitors present from adjoining towns were George E. Bundy, S. B. Strang and S. C. Hoese of Roodhouse, Dr. W. H. Hand of White Hall, John Crater of Beardstown and C. R. Smith of Peoria.

Following the work at the hall, the company adjourned to the Peacock Inn, where a splendid luncheon was enjoyed.

TIME TO ACT.

Don't Wait for the Fatal Stages of Kidney Illness—Profit by Jacksonville People's Experiences.

Occasional attacks of backache, irregular urination, headaches and dizzy spells are common early symptoms of kidney disorders. It's an error to neglect these ills. The attacks may pass off for a time but return with greater intensity. If there are symptoms of dropsy—puffy swellings below the eyes, bloating of limbs and ankles, or any part of the body, don't delay a minute. Begin taking Doan's Kidney Pills, and keep up the treatment until the kidneys are well, when your old time health and vigor will return. Cures in Jacksonville prove the effectiveness of this great kidney remedy.

Capt. H. W. Hitt, 329 Church street, Jacksonville, Ill., says: "I was annoyed for months by too frequent passage of the kidney secretions. As I had often heard Doan's Kidney Pills recommended, I decided to try them and procured a box at Armstrongs' drug store. Since using this remedy I have felt much better. I have no objection to allowing this statement to be published."

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and should not be allowed to become chronic. Whether caused by heat or cold, stomach disorders or nervousness

Hicks' CAPUDINE

is the best remedy to take. It's liquid—effects immediate—pleasant to take. 10c, 25c and 50c at drug stores.

STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE.

The Street Railway Franchise ordianace was passed by the city council Wednesday morning and April 16 the people will be asked to vote upon the proposition of granting the franchise to the Jacksonville Street Railway company, such election being necessary under the commission form of government act. The franchise as already mentioned a number of times provides that the company shall pay to the city for the use of the streets three per cent of its gross receipts. In order to familiarize the public with the franchise the Journal will print sections or parts of sections from time to time. Communications bearing on the franchise giving light on its terms or asking for light will be given publicity. It is desirable that the people as a whole familiarize themselves with the provisions of the franchise in order that they may vote with intelligence the coming election.

Section 4. Whenever any such parts or portions of such streets, or any part thereof, shall be ordered to be paved by the municipality as shall include the part thereof occupied by the grantee, the grantee shall, at its own expense, at the same time and in the same manner and with like material as the balance of such street shall be paved, pave such parts of such streets, for the space of 18 inches on each side outside of its rails, and also between its tracks; provided, however, if grantee so elects prior to the making of the estimate providing for such paving, that portion of any highway or part thereof so required to be paved by the grantee, shall be paved by said city and included in the assessment roll for said paving and paid for by grantee in like manner as the balance of such paving shall be paid for, including payment in installments at grantee's election. And no other pavement than as and to the extent herein specified shall be required to be done or paid for, nor any other payment required to be made, by grantee, and all pavement disturbed or torn up by reason of the construction of track or tracks by grantee is to be restored to its former condition; and where the said grantee shall construct a railway over a street already paved, the grantee shall contribute to the property owners abutting an amount equal to the original cost of such paving so occupied (including eighteen inches on the outside of the track as well as between the rails) less an amount equivalent to ten per cent of such original cost for each year that such paving has been laid, provided that such original cost in no event shall exceed the value of new paving of the same character at the time such track shall be laid and provided that the property owner, upon failure of the grantee to make payment therefor, shall have the right to maintain an action for the same.

Sec. 5. The grantee is hereby authorized to use, in the operation of said railway, a type of car designed for one-man-near-side operation, in which the passengers will enter and leave the car at its forward end only, under the observation of the motive power operator (the rear end of the car to be normally closed) and in which the motive power operator will perform also the usual duties of a conductor; provided, however, if grantee, because of the employment of the type of car above described, shall be unable properly to maintain its schedules, or if the operation of cars of such type is found to increase the dangers over grantee's present method of operation, then in either such event the use of such type of cars shall be discontinued and the same shall be superseded by such other modern type of cars as shall be agreed upon by said city and grantee.

Sec. 6. The grantee hereby agrees to equip its street railway system with the most approved finish and design of cars, and to maintain upon its road good and convenient cars to accommodate public travel, and to keep the same in good and safe order and condition, and keep the tracks and roadbed in good order and condition, so far as to afford safe and convenient travel thereon, the cars to be provided with the best approved safety appliances for protecting the lives of persons and passengers upon said railway and of the public traveling on and across the streets, over which said street railway may operate, and all cars shall be run at all times and places at a reasonable rate of speed under the particular circumstances and in no event shall any street car be run or operated on a schedule greater than fifteen miles per hour within the limits of the said city, and the cars shall be properly heated, lighted and cleaned, and shall run in each direction as often as once in every fifteen minutes, as near as practicable, leaving the public square not later than 6:15 in the morning and as late as 10:45 in the evening, except on Sundays, when it shall not be required to operate from said square until 6:45 a. m.; provided, however, that grantee shall not be required to operate any such service at a loss.

And provided further that grantee agrees to operate a special car from the intersection of Webster avenue and West State street, east on West State street and East State street to the Chicago & Alton station to accommodate traffic for the six o'clock morning Alton train for St. Louis, as such train is now run, upon which special car grantee is hereby authorized, anything in this ordinance to the contrary notwithstanding, to charge a ten-cent (10c) fare for each passenger.

LOST VALUABLE HORSES.

Carles E. Reynolds of Athensville, who formerly resided six miles south of this city, recently lost two of his best horses, one of which was his faithful family driving mare, Roxie Ann. He estimates his loss at $400.

WATCH WATCH

We will give a stem winding and stem setting guaranteed Watch with every boy's suit from $4.00 up.

Our new spring suits are here and we are going after the boys' suit trade this spring. Now is the time to select that Easter Suit.

T. M. TOMLINSON

SEE THESE WATCHES IN OUR EAST WINDOW

Save Your Tickets

Get a Harmony

Ask for Tickets

TALKING MACHINE FREE

Save your tickets---when you have made cash purchases amounting to $50 you will be given a $25 Harmony Talking Machine

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Then all we ask you to do is to purchase one set of double 10-inch disc records at 65c each

Ask for Circular or call at our store

Ask for Tickets

Graham Hardware Co.

North Main Street Both Phones

Save Your Tickets

EXCISE TAX BILL.

Washington, March 20.—The Democratic excise tax bill passed the house yesterday, was reported to the senate to day and referred to the finance committee.

LADIES' TAILORING.

Frankenberg, S. E. corner square.

PRINCESS HAS DAUGHTER.

Brussels, March 20.—Princess Clementine, the wife of Prince Victor Napoleon gave birth to a daughter to day. They were married Nov. 14, 1910.

FOR RHEUMATISM

George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast. Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist.

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With 6000 feet of Film and Lecture **10c**

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Pictures every night

Silo Facts

In determining the kind of a Silo to build, remember that an "A. P. Grout Vitrified Tile Silo" will not rot or go to staves and that it will keep the silage perfectly. The "A. P. G. V. T. Silo" is practically a large stoneware jar. Let us send you booklets giving full particulars regarding the cost of this Silo. Yours for the asking. Address

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Coarse fiber meats "fill up," but lack in nutrition and contain much that really is indigestible

In buying meat get full value for your money—Quality every time; that's what we give you; eatable, digestible, nutritious meat.

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Founded 1852.

Capital $200,000

Deposits $1,000,000

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The combined capital and surplus of this bank is ONE QUARTER MILLION DOLLARS the largest of any bank in Morgan county.

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Don't be troubled with your feet; walk easy and have comfort. Use

Green Corn Paint

Two or three applications of this efficient remedy removes the corn and relieve you of pain. 15c a bottle.

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Cold Weather

These crisp winter days are making active conditions in the coal business. We are in position to give your fuel needs careful attention.

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OPENING A SUCCESS

Many Ladies Visit the Grand Millinery and Ready to Wear Opening at Herman's in spite of the Bad Weather and Are More Than Repaid for Their Trouble.

Although the weather was so unpropitious Wednesday morning, nothing daunted, the intrepid Mr and Mrs. Herman arranged, as usual, for their magnificent spring display of millinery and ready to wear goods. A full corps of polite and attractive young ladies was on hand and the hours of the day were enlivened and made interesting by the fine music of Vickery & Merrigan's orchestra.

Of course, the number attending was inevitably decreased, but on the other hand many were there, both from the city and adjacent places and they had more time to examine the beautiful display and bought liberally.

It seems, each time as if Mr. and Mrs. Herman could go no farther in the preparation and display of a stock of goods unsurpassed for style, beauty and adaptability to the market and marked by especially fine taste, but this year they appear to have even outdone their previous efforts. Their millinery creations are exquisite and lovely, just the articles wanted and in superb taste. The ready to wear garments are unsurpassed in taste, quality and workmanship and the whole place presents attractions unheard of heretofore.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for member of the board of education in the fourth ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

George S. Rogerson.

WITH THE SICK

Mrs. R. L. Dye is ill at her home on West Walnut street.

Mrs. E. P. Heck was called to Meredosia yesterday on account of the severe illness of her mother, Mrs. S. A. Crawford.

Mrs. Jennie Gillham of Kansas City has arrived in Jacksonville for a visit with her sister, Mrs. F. G. Farrell.

A TEXAS WONDER.

The Texas Wonder cures kidney and bladder trouble, removes gravel, cures diabetes, weak and lame backs, rheumatism and all irregularity of the kidneys and bladder in both men and women, regulates bladder troubles in children. If not sold by your druggist, will be sent by mail on receipt of $1.00. One small bottle is two months' treatment and seldom fails to perfect a cure. Send for illinois testimonials. Dr. E. W. Hall, 2926 Olive St., St. Louis, Mo. Sold by druggists.

SNOW WIND AND SLEET STORM

HEAVY RAINFALL FOLLOWED BY SLEET IMPERILS LIFE AND PROPERTY.

City Almost Shut Off From Outside World by Crippled Telegraph and Telephone Wires—Great Havoc Wrought Among Trees—Street Car System Put Out of Commission.

Following in the wake of two beautiful spring-like days, a storm of wide area and of intense severity swept over the country Wednesday, working great havoc, endangering life and destroying thousands of dollars worth of property. In Jacksonville the storm reached such great proportions that for a short time last evening the city was shut off entirely from the outside world, every telephone and telegraph wire being out of commission. Pedestrians who had occasion to be out after nightfall were afraid to be on the streets on account of the danger from falling limbs, and shortly after 9 o'clock the street cars were stopped for the night on account of trolley wires being down.

Storm Increases in Intensity.

All during Wednesday morning there was a steady rainfall and shortly before dinner the temperature lowered and the sleet began to fall. During the afternoon it would first rain and then sleet and by nightfall about three inches of slush had formed. The wind shifted after supper late, causing the ice to form in great quantities and the trees and wires of the city began to show the result of the immense weight. The creaking of the trees over the city was the occasion of much alarm and citizens kept to their homes except those who were forced to be out.

Reports came from every part of the city of the great damage which has been done. About 9 o'clock two large limbs, one at Diamond street and the other at Prairie street, fell across the street car trolley wire, pulling it to the ground. The company was notified and some workmen were sent to the scene, but the danger of other falling limbs and of coming in contact with live wires was so great, that the task was abandoned as soon as precautions could be taken to see that no one's life was in danger. Services was attempted on the South Main street car line but little was accomplished. It took twenty minutes for the car to go from West College avenue to the square. The company had men to watch their lines during the night and the street cars were left standing where the trolley broke.

Wires Out of Commission.

Perhaps the greatest damage done was that of the telephone and telegraph wires. The trouble started early in the afternoon and at that time it was possible to get only one wire to Chicago over the Central Union, and that was through Springfield. Communication from outside towns was cut off entirely after 6 o'clock on both the Central Union and the Illinois telephone. The companies had men working on their lines as long as daylight lasted but the damage is so great that it will take several days to remedy the destruction. At the corner of West street and Morgan street the sleet had broken nearly every wire and they had fallen, all massed together. There is scarcely a street in the city that is free from broken wires and in some places the damage is great.

Associated Press Wire Out.

The Central Union wire, over which the Journal's Associated Press news comes, was out of commission early in the evening and Walter De Shara, the A. P. operator, succeeded in securing a wire, about 7:30, over the Western Union. The service lasted for about an hour and a half, when the ticking ceased. Through the kindness of the Chicago & Alton operator a wire was secured over their line about midnight and for three quarters of an hour the service worked all right, when suddenly the current ceased and never returned.

Train Catches Telegraph Pole.

Reports from points further north are to the effect that the storm was intense. The various railroads had trouble in keeping a wire open for the transmission of train orders. About 10 o'clock the Wabash had only one line and that was working badly, communication further west than East Hannibal being impossible.

When a south bound freight reached Jacksonville over the Alton at 12:30, it was carrying on one of the cars a large telegraph pole, to which were attached several wires. It is thought that the heavy coating of ice had toppled over the pole across the track and was taken in by the train. It also put an end to all wire communications from the Alton station. Mr. DeShara made several attempts to reach Chicago during the rest of the night, but was unable to do so. Last night was the first time in four years that all telegraph service into Jacksonville has been wholly cut off.

Plays Havoc With Trees.

The havoc played by the storm among the trees of the city is widespread. Aside from the large limbs across the trolley wires, there are hundreds of limbs across wires and strewn across the streets, in some places it being almost impossible to travel. The large tree in front of Dr. G. H. Kopperel's residence was a victim of the storm. By the tree falling a little to the east, the house was saved.

In North Church street the damage to trees was quite severe and in the eastern part of the city. The large lamp at the corner of West street and college avenue was forced to the pavement. There was considerable danger from the broken wire and the lamp was watched until the matter was remedied by the city officials. Another large tree in front of the residence of George L. Chambers on West College street was also broken by the storm. On account of the street car service being out there were many calls for carriages and the local bus lines were kept busy and were unable to accommodate the people until later in the evening. The night was certainly a dismal one, with the falling sleet and rain, the trees creaking and groaning and the lightning and thunder adding a wail to the awful night, such a night as the citizens do not care to pass through again very soon.

Only One Wire Out of City.

The Western Union has control of fifty-two wires into Jacksonville, which include the various railroads and at 2 o'clock this (Thursday) morning there was only one wire in operation and that was on the Wabash, from here to Bluffs. The Central Union has some sixteen toll lines and the Illinois telephone several, all out of commission, so that some idea can be gained of the great and widespread damage which has been done to the wires.

Damage to Roofs.

Several buildings were damaged by the sleet, the roofs being unable to stand the pressure. In some, leaks were found which occasioned no little trouble and owners worked until a late hour remeding the damage.

Trouble for Motormen.

Trouble for motormen on the street railway began early in the day, when the dashing rain was frozen on the glass in front of the motormen. Every little while the men were forced to stop and heat the inside of the glass by burning paper against it and then to go outside and scrape off the ice. Otherwise they could hardly see the track in front of them.

Much Rain Fell.

According to G. H. of Alexander, a rainfall of 1.11 inch was registered befoe 6 o'clock Wednesday afternoon. There were few minutes during the day that the rain or sleet ceased and for the most of the time the water fell in large quantities, freezing on the trees and in the streets. The temperature for Wednesday, was: Maximum 51, and minimum 27.

Great Sleet Storm of 1883.

The heavy sleet will recall the various times the country has been in the throes of such a storm. While the community has been visited by a number of sleet storms, perhaps none have equaled that of the great sleet storm of 1883. According to the history of Morgan county, by Dr. W. F. Short, on the 2nd of February, a storm of unusual severity was noted approaching from the northwest. It swept down the watershed of the Missouri river, spreading from the mountains to the great lakes, increasing in intensity as it came, blocking all the northwestern railroads with snow, causing great delay of trains. The cold was intense. When the storm center had reached the region of Omaha, with its southern wing, stretching far down toward the Gulf of Mexico, it made the usual curve to the east and northeast. The great whirl of winds being from right to left, the warmer air from the region of the gulf was drawn into the storm area and great modification of the character of the storm resulted.

Very soon after reaching this point, on the night of February 2, the snow, which prevailed in the regions west and north, ceased, giving place, first, to a kind of hard-bulled snow, gradually changing to fine, dry sleet, and then to a mixture of sleet and rain, which froze solid as fast as it fell. It froze fast to everything. Every tree became a mass of ice and every twig an icicle. Many valuable fruit and ornamental trees were broken down by the mass of ice. As the storm swept on eastward, it continued to be modified by the whirl of the south winds until it became a driving rain, which melted down the ten or twelve inches of snow, which then covered the ground in Indiana, Ohio, and western Pennsylvania, producing the greatest floods ever known in the Ohio river.

In Jacksonville and vicinity the storm, though damaging to trees, telephone and telgraph wires, was a thing of beauty. No description can do justice to the scene.

This continued for nearly a week before there was sufficient warmth and wind to make the ice drop from the tress and other objects to which it clung. The telephone wires in the city were nearly all proken down by

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We will not try to quote prices, but a glance at our North Window will give a little idea of what we have to offer

Come in, and let us show you the line

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New Spring Dress Goods and Silks

We now show our complete lines. If you read this ad. and ask to see our new Dress Goods and Silks you will be surprised, not alone at the beautiful patterns and qualities, but the low price also. We buy and sell only dependable merchandise, such as we can always stand behind. To illustrate, here are a few of the many good bargains we show:

50c 23 inch Foulard Silks, plain body ground, in all colors, with beautiful design; a special good value, 50c

18 inch Silk in stripes and checks, 50c.

50c Silk Poplin; this is a very popular Silk; comes in such colors that are good for street and evening wear as well an excellent silk for wear; 25 inch wide, 50c yard.

$1.50 40 inch Side Band Silks in Messaline quality, some thing very new at $1.50 yard.

$1.00 yd. Jamestown Woolen Dress Goods

Most every woman in this community knows something of the wearing qualities of this make of goods. We always carry a good line in stock, 46, 50 and 56 inches wide, in fancies, fancy mixtures, etc., in all colors at $1.00 yard.

50c 36 inch Dress Goods, most any kind of a weave you might ask for, all colors, in plain cloths, fancy mixtures, shepherd checks, etc., all new spring goods; this entire assortment to choose from at 50c yard.

Black Dress Goods

In fancy weaves, shadow stripes, serges, Henriettas, etc., 50c, 75c, $1.00 and $1.25.

Millinery

Easter comes April 7, that you will not be disappointed on Easter morning choose your Hat from our great variety at once. You will absolutely have the correct style at a very moderate price.

Cash for Dry Goods and Millinery Always Makes Our Prices Much Lower than Others

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All of linen's charms at one-third the cost

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SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

Distinctive Spring Footwear Styles!

Do you realize that the days are getting longer and that the weather is more spring like? So you are perfectly safe in giving the footwear question some serious consideration.

We are showing a splendid assortment of new spring styles in low cuts of the popular materials and shapes, See our show windows. We cannot describe them. We can please you,

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We are showing some very new things in button boots in tans, satins; suedes, patents and white buck; just the styles you like best, See our windows.

Sole Agents for Lambertville Snag-Proof Rubber Boots

We repair shoes. We are prepared to do all kinds of work in a satisfactory manner,

SOCIAL EVENTS.

Miss Weaver of the Illinois Woman's college entertained Wednesday evening for the members of the Senior class. Each of the young ladies was dressed to represent some flower and the costumes were very unique and attractive. The time was spent in a delightful social manner and during the hours elegant refreshments were served.

Miss Irene Thompson entertained at her home on W[illegible] college avenue informally Wednesday [illegible] honor of Miss [illegible]. Paul Thompson delighted the company with a number of interesting readings and in the miscellaneous shower Miss Furr received a number of pretty gifts. Palatable refreshments were served.

MAY PROLONG TRITL

Counsel For Sugar Officials Object to Testimony of Former Secretary of Company.

New York, March 20.—The trial of officials of the American Sugar Refining company under the criminal clause of the Sherman law took a turn today that may prolong it for many months. This prospect came to view when District Attorney Wise began to put in evidence intended to show that for a long period the policy of the "trust" had been to purchase and close down rival sugar plants in order to monopolize the industry.

Charles R. Heike, former secretary of the company whose connection for underweighing frauds is now under appeal, was the witness through whom the district attorney started in an effort to prove this policy. Heike's testimony had not fairly begun before counsel for the defense raised a storm of protest.

At the end of a long argument Judge Hand decided to admit Heike's testimony. The defense declared they would contest every point. This will probably prolong the case six months.

Mr. Wise read off list after list of sugar refineries which Heike identified as having been either controlled or closed by the "trust."

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

add DEATHS

Goveia.

Manuel Goveia, father of Joseph DeGoveia, died at 3:30 o'clock Wednesday afternoon at his home on Caldwell street. Mr. Goveia, who was past 80 years of age, was born in the island of Madeira and came to this country and this county as a young man. For many years he lived on a farm north of Jacksonville but with advancing years he came here and has lived for a long time on Caldwell street. Mr. Goveia was a man of industrious and temperate habits and was held in high esteem by all who knew him. He was honest and straightforward in all his dealings and has gone to the other world leaving behind him the record of a life well spent.

A suitable obituary and a notice of the time of the funeral will be given tomorrow.

Miss Margaret Brown of St. Louis is the guest of Miss Irene Thompson at her home on West College avenue.

MILK SUPPLY IN CITIES

Dr. Ravenel, Who Lectures Here To Night, Is Chairman of Committee of Sanitariums.

A few months ago health officers of a dozen or more cities came together in Chicago to discuss ways and means for controlling the milk supply of cities. The following quoted from Dr. Evans "How to Keep Well" column in the Chicago Tribune will show that Dr. Maxyck P. Ravenel, director of the Wisconsin State Hygienic Laboratory, who is to give a lecture here to night, illustrated by lantern slides, is chairman of a committee of sanitarians to draw up specific suggestions to cities on these points. We quote the following:

"The leaders in the discussion of milk were Prof. M. P. Ravenel of the University of Wisconsin and Dr. A. D. Melvin, director of the bureau of animal industry. Others participating were Dr. Kiefer, Dr. Ford, Dr. Gehrman, Dr. Sherman, Dr. Landis, Dr. Whittaker, and the representatives of a dozen cities. They voted their opinion that every city should have comprehensive milk ordinances.

They decided that a bacteriologic standard should be required by every city. Milk that is old or dirty or has been kept warm has a high bacteriologic count. When there are large numbers of bacteria in milk it is improper food for babies, partly because of the large number of bacteria, but also because of the age or dirtiness of the milk. They also voted that the tuberculin test should be required and that the dirt test should be embodied in every state law and municipality. That milk should be dated and the sale of old milk prohibited. That every ordinance should demand that the milk be kept cold from the producer to the consumer. That summer complaint in babies, typhoid fever, scarlet fever, and diptheria should be reported to the health department. That the milk supply of every case of any of these of diseases should be investigated. That appropriate measures be taken to suppress the sale of milk by any dealer who has more than a proper proportion of these diseases or any of them among his patrons.

"A report embodying specific suggestions on these points and several others will be drawn up by a committee consisting of Dr. M. P. Ravenel, Madison; Dr. Whittaker of the dairy division department of agriculture; Dr. R. E. Sherman of the Chicago Health department, and Dr. A. Gehrman of the Columbus laboratories.

"And now, Mr. Mayor of Elgin, Ill., Des Moines, Iowa, Lexington, Ky., and Jacksonville Ill., and all other mayors, what kind of milk ordinances do you have for your own town? Your babies are dying from summer complaint. Your people have milk borne typhoid. What are you doing about it? Why not send for these reports and see if they do not speak authoritatively on things in which your people are greatly interested? I expect to see the time when dead babies will decide an election here and there."

Don't fail to hear Dr. Ravenel at the High school to night.

SEEKS BANKRUPTCY.

James E. Dailey, a sewer and drainage contractor of Springfield, has filed a petition in bankruptcy before the referee in that city, scheduling his liabilities at $2,918.95, and his assets as $90. Mr. Dailey was formerly a resident of this city,

MATRIMONIAL RECORD

Marshall-Smith.

Mr. Swain Marshall of Albion, Ill., and Miss Ruth Smith of this city were united in marriage at 8:30 o'clock Wednesday evening by Rev. Clyde Darsie, pastor of Central Christian church, at his home on West College avenue. The young people were attended by Miss Irene Smith, a sister of the bride, and Mr. Harry Leslie of Albion.

The bride is a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Smith of South Church street and is a young lady of many charming manners. The groom has been employed at the Jacksonville hospital but will be associated with his father-in-law in the conduct of the meat market on West Morgan street. Both young people have many friends, who will extend heartiest congratulations. They will reside on Hardin avenue.

Stehman-Stranckmeyer.

The employes around the Wabash station at Quincy, were given the slip by their highly prized day ticket agent, Fred U. Stehman, who was secretly married Tuesday night to Miss Ella M. Stranckmeyer, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Henry Stranckmeyer, of Quincy, the ceremony being performed at 7:15 o'clock by Rev. E. P. Schueler, pastor of the Luther Memorial church. Mr. Stehman had asked for a leave of absence and his friends thought that he was speeding across the country to San Francisco, and instead he was taking his fair bride to Winchester, Ill., to visit at the home of the groom. After a two days' visit with his parents, they will leave on their western trip, Salt Lake City, Denver, Los Angeles, San Francisco, and Albuquerque being among the cities they will visit.

The bride is a very charming young woman and is widely known in Quincy. The groom was born and reared in Winchester and has been a resident of Quincy for the past two years, working for the Wabash railroad in one capacity or another until he obtaiend his present position as day ticket agent.

Fearneyhough-Waterfield.

Mr. Alonzo Fearneyhough and Miss Lila Waterfield were married Wednesday afternoon at 2 o'clock, by Rev. J. L. Wylder, at his residence on North Church street. The ceremony was witnessed by Leonard and Miss Mary Fearneyhough, brother and sister of the groom and Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Allen.

Both young people are from the Lynnville neighborhood. The bride is the daughter of Mr and Mrs. Luther Waterfield and the groom is the son of William Fearneyhough. They are from well known families of Morgan county and are estimable young people in every way. Many friends will extend them hearty congratulations.

The groom is a farmer and they expect to reside in the Buckhorn neighborhood.

JACKSONVILLE LODGE, NO. 570.

A. F. & A. M., will hold a stated communication to night at 7:30. Visiting brothers welcome.

C. C. Phelps, W. M.

E. L. Kinney, Secy.

BIG BLUE ROCK SHOOT.

At Concord Saturday afternoon. Liberal cash prizes. Everybody invited.

William D. Black, traveling passenger agent of the Canadian Pacific railroad, was a caller in the city yesterday.

MINE DISASTER IN OKLAHOMA

W. E. Crane in Charge of Property Where Miners Are Entombed.

A news dispatch on another page tells of an awful mine disaster at McCurtain, Okla., where 105 miners are imprisoned with little or no hope of recovery. McCurtain is a station on the Ft. Smith & Western railroad, of which W. E. Crane is vice president. The mine along with others is operated under the name of the San Bois Coal Co., and is owned by the same interests that control the railroad and Mr. Crane is in charge of the mining properties as well as the railroad properties. A number of Jacksonville people own lots in the town of Vinta which is situated only a short distance from McCurtain.

AT THE GRAND.

Dr. John Borroughs will present at the Grand opera house on Friday, matinee and night and Saturday, scenes of the Panama canal. The greatest work in the history of the world. The most beautiful and complete picture-film and views ever shown, lectured on by Dr. Burroughs who has been there. The truth about the canal, and also Yellowstone park in film and beautiful views. Saturday, March 23, scenes from the Grand Canyon of Colorado will be given with the lecture. The world's greatest scenery is found in the Grand Canyon of Colorado. Scenes from "Papestine," the most interesting, most talked of country in the world, will be shown for the first time in Jacksonville in motion pictures. An extra special attraction will be Miss Fay Martin, late of the Chocolate Soldier company, in song hits and vaudeville. Mr. J. V. Mitchell, the noted baritone, will also sing and six thousand feet of film, some of the most beautiful colored scenes imaginable will be shown. Prices 5 and 10 cents. Pictures to night 4 reels and song. The Grand Stock company with Fred P. Miller in change of play nightly all next week.

THANKS TO OUR FRIENDS.

We sincerely thank our many friends and all who so kindly favored us with their presence at our annual spring opening yesterday and promise them that they shall have our best efforts to please them with the very best of goods at the most attractive prices. We shall always be at their service with gratitude.

Mr. and Mrs. J. Herman.

Our ladies' ready to wear hats are copies of imported models. We have them from $1.50 upward.

J. HERMAN.

CUBS DEFEATED.

Montgomery, Ala., March 20.—The Chicago National league team was defeated by the Montgomery team of the Southern league here today 4 to 1.

There's a New Spring Hat

Waiting for You Here

Hats full to the brim in style and quality—

If you have not selected your new Spring Hat, we hardly believe you will be acting wisely if you hesitate longer. It's pleasant to make your selection from a full assortment where every new style may be seen.

In Derbys you can pick from the newest wide brim styles with "English tilt" and 50 other snappy styles,

In soft Hats, the choice is equally broad, whether you prefer a Telescope or Alpine, with stitched or welt brim.

Best Hats $3.50 to $6

Next Best $1.00 to $3

Scotch Tweed Golf Caps 50c to $1.50

MYERS BROTHERS.

Cloth Hats $1.00 to $3.00

Here's News—

Big News for Every Single Home, and Home that's Soon to be, in Jacksonville.

¶ The home—your home—for some time has needed new things.
¶ Perhaps for many months "a home of their own" has been the thought of many a newly married pair.
¶ Why have you waited? Why deny **your** home needed comforts, or yourselves a needed home?
¶ You need wait no longer. Bring the home's wants—the home wants—to this store. The goods—the prices—the easy payments—will bring, in pleasing, satisfying reality all that YOUR HOME needs.
¶ Come in then—let US fill the wants completely today, won't you?

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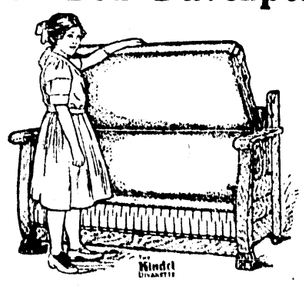

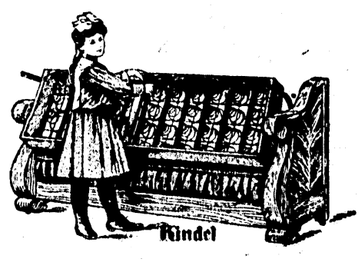

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What is more distasteful to a man with any kind of an appetite than poor meat?

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S.S.S. CURES OLD SORES

If an old sore existed simply because the flesh was diseased at that particular spot, it would be an easy matter to apply some remedy directly to the place that would kill the germs; or the diseased flesh might be removed by a surgical operation and a cure effected. But the very fact that old sores resist every form of local or external treatment, and even return after being cut away, shows that back of them is a morbid cause which must be removed before a cure can result. Just as long as the pollution continues in the blood, the ulcer remains an open cesspool for the deposit of impurities which the circulation throws off. S.S.S. cures Old Sores by purifying the blood. It removes every trace of impurity and taint from the circulation, and thus completely does away with the cause. When S.S.S. has cleansed the blood, the sore begins to heal, and it is not a surface cure, but the healing process begins at the bottom; soon the discharge ceases, the inflammation leaves, and the place fills in with firm, healthy flesh. Under the purifying and tonic effects of S.S.S. the system is built up, and those whose health has been impaired by the drain and worry of an old sore will be doubly benefited by its use. Book on Sores and Ulcers and any medical advice free to all who write.

THE SWIFT SPECIFIC CO., ATLANTA, GA.

Sensible Women Know Foundation of Health

As health talks to women become more general, both in the newspapers and on the platform, the mass of women are beginning to realize what the more cultivated have always known, that good health cannot be found in a powder box. The externals of health may be obtained in that way, but the basis of health lies deeper, and yet is just as easily obtained.

The most important thing that a woman can do for herself, and about which she is often most neglectful, is to watch the condition of her stomach and bowels. The weary eyes, the bad breath, the frequent headaches, the pimples, the general air of lassitude in nine times out of ten the result of constipation or indigestion, or both. Many simple remedies can be obtained, but the best in the estimation of most women is Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin. It is mild, pleasant to the taste and exactly suited to her needs. It is far superior to salts, cathartic pills, waters, etc., which are entirely too violent.

Women should see to it that they have at least one movement of the bowels each day, and when showing any tendency to constipation should take Dr. Caldwell's Syrup Pepsin in the small dose prescribed. A brief use of it will so train the stomach and bowel muscles that all forms of medicine can be dispensed with. These opinions are voiced by thousands of women, after personal experience, among them Mrs. G. Wolbrandt, 115 So. Everett St., Streator, Ill., and Mrs. Thomas Blakeslee, 303 N. Wright St., Champaign, Ill.

Anyone wishing to make a trial of this remedy before buying it in the regular way of a druggist at fifty cents or one dollar a large bottle (family size) can have a sample bottle sent to the home free of charge by simply addressing Dr. W. B. Caldwell, 405 Washington St., Monticello, Ill. Your name and address on a postal card will do.

"Our Personal Guarantee to all Skin Sufferers"

LEE P. ALLCOTT.

We have been in business in this town for some time, and we are looking to build up trade by always advising our patrons **right.**

So **when we tell you that we have found the eczema remedy and that we stand back of it with the manufacturer's iron clad guarantee,** backed by ourselves you can depend upon it that we give our advice **not** in order to sell a few bottles of **medicine** to skin sufferers, but because **we know** how it will help our business if we help our patrons.

We keep in stock and sell, all the well known **skin remedies.** But we will say this: **if** you are suffering from any **kind of skin** trouble, eczema, psoriasis, rash or tetter, we want you to try a full size bottle of D. D. D. Prescription. And, if it does not do the work, this bottle will cost you nothing. You alone to judge.

Again and again we have seen how a few drops of this simple wash applied to the skin, takes away the itch, instantly. And the cures all seem to be permanent.

D. D. D. Prescription made by the D. D. D. Laboratories of Chicago, is composed of thymol, glycerine, oil of wintergreen and other healing, soothing, cooling ingredients. And if you are just crazy with itch, you will feel soothed and cooled, the itch absolutely washed away the moment you applied this D. D. D.

We have **made fast friends of more than one family** by recommending this remedy to a skin sufferer here and there and we want you to try it **how** on our positive no-pay guarantee.

Lee P. Allcott, Druggist E. S. S.

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Parisian Sage is the quickest acting hair grower, invigorator and beautifier the world has ever known and a million clean headed and clear headed Americans won't accept any substitute.

The girl with the Auburn hair is on every bottle and carton of Parisian Sage; in buying see that you get the genuine which is made in America by the Giroux Mfg. Co., Buffalo, N. Y.

Parisian Sage dear reader, seldom fails to do as advertised.

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To grow hair if used before dandruff germs destroy the roots.

Parisian Sage is the most delightful and refreshing hair dressing in the world, and is sold for only 50 cents a bottle at successful druggists everywhere.

On March 25 E. A. Widman, 8 Norfolk St., Newark, N. J., wrote: "My hair was falling out and my head was full of dandruff. Since using Parisian Sage the dandruff has disappeared and now I have quite a good growth of hair."

Preparations Similar in Name are on the Market. Be sure and ask for Parisian Sage (see illustration on Carton above), you can always get the genuine at

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FIRST SPEECH OF HIS CAMPAIGN

DELIVERED BY ROOSEVELT IN NEW YORK.

Contrasted His Position With That Taken by President Taft—Throngs Unable to Gain Admission Into Carnegie Hall.

New York, March 20.—In the first speech of his campaign for the presidential nomination, Col. Roosevelt to night contrasted his position with that taken by President Taft. The real issue, he said, was whether the American people should govern themselves.

Col. Roosevelt's speech was delivered before a crowd which filled Carnegie hall. So many persons wished to her him that an overflow meeting was held in a smaller hall within the same building. The street in front of the hall contained a throng of persons who were unable to gain admission to either meeting. Col. Roosevelt was received with marked enthusiasm.

President Taft's recent speech at Toledo was referred to several times by Col. Roosevelt, who devoted a large part of his remarks to a reply.

"Mr. Taft again and again, in quotations, I have given and elsewhere through his speech," said Mr. Roosevelt, "expresses his disbelief in the people when they vote at the polls."

He asserted that the president's position was "that we have in this country a special class of persons wiser than the people, who are above the people, who cannot be reached by the people, but who govern them and ought to govern them."

Col. Roosevelt said that this was "the old, old doctrine," which has "tended to create a bullwark for special privileges."

"This doctrine is to me a dreadful doctrine," said the speaker, "for its effect is, and can only be, to make the courts the shield of private interest popular rights."

New York, March 20.—"The great fundamental issue now before the Republican party and before our people can be stated briefly. it is, are the American people fit to govern themselves, to rule themselves, to control themselves? I believe they are. My opponents do not."

With these words Theodore Roosevelt to night opened the first speech he has delivered since the public announcement of his willingness to accept the Republican nomination for president. His subject was "The Right of the People to Rule." The speech, delivered at Carnegie hall, under the auspices of the Civic Forum, elaborated much that Colonel Roosevelt said in his Columbus, O., address, and answered in detail certain arguments of President Taft in reply. "I stand on the Columbus speech," said Col. Roosevelt, "the principles there asserted are not new, but I believe that they are necessary to the maintenance of free democratic government."

People Fitted to Govern.

After his opening declaration Col. Roosevelt continued: I believe in the right of the people to rule. I believe that the majority of the plain people of the United tates will, day in and day out, make fewer mistakes in governing themselves than any smaller class or body of men, no matter what 'their training, will make in trying to govern them. I believe, again, that the American people, are, as a whole, capable of self-control and of learning by their mistakes. Our opponents pay lip-loyalty to this doctrine; but they show their real beliefs by the way in which they champion every device to make the nominal rule of the people a sham.

"I have scant patience with this talk of tyranny of the majority. Whenever there is tyranny of the majority, I shall protest against it with all my heart and soul. But we are to day suffering from the tyranny of minorities. It is a small minority that is grabbing our coal deposits, our water powers, and our harbor fronts. A small minority is fattening on the sale of adultered foods and drugs. It is a small minority that lies behind monopolies and trusts. It is a small minority that stands behind the present law of master and servant, the sweatshops, and the whole calendar of social and industrial injustice. It is a small minority that is to day using our convention system to defeat the will of a majority of the people in the choice of delegates to the Chicago convention. The only tyrannies from which men, women and children are suffering in real life are the tyrannies of minorites.

"No sane man who has been familiar with the government of this country for the last twenty years will complain that we have had too much of the rule fo the majority. The trouble has been a far different one—thht, at time and in many localities, there have held public office in the states and in the nation men who have, in fact, served not the whole people, but some special class or special interest. I am not thinking only of those special interests which by grosser methods, by bribery and crime, have stolen from the people. I am thinking as much of their respectable allies and figureheads, who have ruled and legislated and decided as if in some way the vested rights of privilege had a first mortgage on the whole United States, while the rights of all the people were merely an unsecured debt.

Progressive "Checks."

"To further the rule of the majority," continued the speaker, "the Progressives of the Republican party in certain states have formulated certain proposals for change in the form of the state government—certain 'checks and balances' which may check and balance the special interests and their allies.

"First, there are the 'initiative and referendum,' which are so framed that if the legislatures obey the command of some special interest, and obstinately refuse the will of the majority, the majority may step in and legislate directly."

"Then there is the direct primary—the real one, not the New York one—and that, too, the Progressives offer as a check on the special interests. Most clearly of all does it seem to me that this change is wholly good—for every state. * * * The direct primary, if accompanied by a stringent corrupt practices act, will help break up corrupt partnership of corporations and politicians.

"So that no man may misunderstand me, let me recapitulate:

"(1) I am not proposing anything in connection with the supreme court of the United States, or with the Federal constitution.

"(2) I am not proposing anything having any connection with ordinary suits, civil or criminal, as between individuals.

"(3) I am not speaking of the recall of judges.

"(4) I am proposing merely that in a certain class of cases involving the police power, when a state court has set aside as unconstitutional a law passed by the legislature for the general welfare, the question of the validity of the law—which should depend, as Justice Holmes so well phrases it, upon the prevailing morality or preponderant opinion—be submitted for final determination to a vote of the people, taken after due time for consideration.

Replies to Taft.

"The president of the United States, Mr. Taft, devoted most of a recent speech to criticism of this proposition. He says that it 'is utterly without merit or utility, and, instead of being * * * in the interest of al the people, and of the stability of popular government, is sewing the seeds of confusion and tyranny.' (By this he of course means the tyranny of the majority, that is, the tyranny of the American people as a whole). He also says that my proposal (which, as he rightly sees, is merely a proposal to give the people a real, instead of only a nominal, chance to construe and amend a state constitution with reasonable rapidity) would make such amendment and interpretation 'depend on the feverish, uncertain and unstable determination of successive votes on different laws by temporary and changing majorities;' and that 'it lays the ax at the feet of the tree of well-ordered freedom, and subjects the guarantee of life, liberty and property without remedy to the fitful impulse of a temporary maojrity of an electorate.'

"This criticism is really less a criticism of my proposal than a criticism of all popular government. It is wholly founded on the belief that the people are fundamentally untrustworthy. If the supreme court's definition of due process in relation to the police power is sound, then an act of the legislature to promote the collective interests of the community must be valid, if it embodies a policy held by the prevailing morality or a preponderant opinion to be necessary to the public welfare. This is the question that I propose to submit to the people. How can the prevailing morality or a preponderant opinion be better and more exactly ascertained than by a vote of the people.

"Mr. Taft fairly defines the issue when he says that our government is and should be a government of all the people by a representative part of the people. This is an excellent and moderate description of an oligarchy. It defines our government as a government of all of the people by a few of the people."

Views on Judiciary.

Mr. Taft, said Col. Roosevelt, declared that the judiciary ought not to be "representative" of the people in the sense that the legislature and the executive are. "This," Col. Roosevelt asserted, "is perfectly true of the judge when he is performing merely the ordinary functions of a judge in suits between man and man. it is not true of the judge engaged in interpreting, for instance, the due process clause—where the judge is ascertaining the preponderant opinion of the people (as Judge Holmes states it). When he exercises that function he has no right to let his political philosophy reverse and thwart the will of the majority."

"Mr. Taft again and again, in quotations I have given and elsewhere through his speech expresses his disbelief in the people when they vote at the polls. In one sentence he says that the proposition gives 'powerful effect to the momentary impulse of a majority of an electorate and prepares the way for the possible exercise of the grossest tyranny.' Elsewhere he speaks of the 'feverish uncertainty' and 'unstable determination' of laws by 'temporary and changing majorities'; and again he says that the system I propose 'would result in suspension or application of constitutional guarantee according to popular whim' which would destroy 'all possible consistency' in constitutional interpretation. I should much like to know the exact distinction that is to be made between what Mr. Taft calls 'the fitful impulse of a temporary majority' when applied to a question such as that I raise and any other question.

"Mr. Taft's position is perfectly clear. It is that we have in this country a special class of persons wiser than the people, who are above the people, who cannot be reached by the people, but who govern them and ought to govern them; and who protect various classes of the people from the whole people."

Quotes Dean Lewis.

Colonel Roosevelt quoted the remarks of William Draper Lewis, dean of the Law School of the University of Pennsylvania, who approved Mr. Roosevelt's plan of a popular recall of judicial decisions regarding constitutional amendments, out declared it unfortunate that the plan should have been proposed by a man of such "marked characteristics" as Col. Roosevelt, whose personality he said, might cloud the issue. To this Col. Roosevelt replied:

"I can only say that I wish somebody else whose suggestions would arouse less antagonism had proposed it; but nobody else did propose it, and so I had to. I am not leading this fight as a matter of aesthetic pleasure. I am leading because somebody must lead, or else the fight would not be made at all.

"I prefer to work with moderate, with rational, conservatives, provided only that they do in good faith strive forward towards the light. But when they halt and turn their backs to the light, and sit with the scorners on the seats of reaction, then I must part company with them. We the people cannot turn back. Our aim must be steady, wise progress."

As "Ed" Howe Sees Life

The man who has seen a good show can't interest a man who hasn't in telling about it.

The laziest men in a country town can usually be seen around the depot when the trains come in.

When a noted man shakes hands with you, he seems to say in his manner: "Of course I am willing to shake hands with you, as I desire to be known as a good fellow, in spite of my prosperity; but please do not hold my hand too long, as it is very busy."

There are so few Sunny Jim situations, that people finally tire of re is one thing you can do; make thethe Sunny Jim philosophy. But the u to do that. And so far as I am best of every situation, and I beg yo concerned, you needn't whistle, or laugh, or sing, while about it.

If there are twenty-eight hooks in a closet for a man and wife, the wife uses twenty-three of them.

Look after your stomach carefully, and Higher Education will be that much easier.

writing is like talking; and there are few good talkers.

Many people who want to do better work, really and positively can't.

The kitchen is the most important room in a house, and usually the dirtiest.

When a country town man visits a big city, the citizens have a lot of assurance that make him think of the impudence of a man with a good head of hair when in the presence of a bald man.

PISGAH.

Mollie Harris, who underwent an operation for appendicitis, has returned home greatly improved in health.

George Beekman was a Jacksonville visitor Monday.

David Wood, who has been sick for quite a while, is still very low.

Mr. and Mrs. Rufus Harris are spending the week with relatives near Pisgah.

Mr. and Mrs. Earl Lukeman spent the first of the week in Chapin.

Edgar Curry, who has been sick for some time, is rapidly returning to health, to the gratification of his many friends.

Charles Baker has moved to the place vacated by Fred Craven.

Mr. Hussey has moved to the place vacated by Charles Baker.

Charles Caldwell has moved to the Mattie Smith property.

FACE BROKEN OUT?

Pimples Replaced by Smooth, Clear Skin.

Try This Remedy at Our Risk.

Ugly pimples and blotches not only disfigure the face but cause unpleasant comments and suspicion.

They are a form of eczema and will not yield to "beauty preparations" but demand rational treatment.

It was in just such conditions that our new soothing, antiseptic skin remedy, Saxon Salve, first proves its great value. Apply it as directed on going to bed—only a few treatments are necessary to show its marvelous healing power.

A remarkable feature that gives special value to Saxon Salve, is its ability to penetrate the skin and carry its healing, germ-destroying action to the very seat of the disease.

We give back your money if Saxon Salve does not satisfy you fully. Lee P. Allcott, druggist, Jacksonville, Ill.

RETURN FROM CONVENTION.

O. N. Barr and W. E. Allen returned Wednesday from Peoria, where they had been to attend the annual convention of the Illinois State Laundrymen's association. The convention was one of the best held in years and the attendance was unusually large. Next year the association will meet in Chicago. J. A. Barkey of Chicago was elected president.

LICENSED TO MARRY.

Swain Marshall, Albion; Ruth Smith.

A. D. Fearneyhough, Lynnville; Lila Ellen Waterfield, Winchester.

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Melba Flour

Always gives satisfaction for Pastry or Bread

$1.65 per sack

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A Poor Weak Woman

As she is termed, will endure bravely and patiently agonies which a strong man would give way under. The fact is women are more patient than they ought to be under such troubles.

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ENTERTAINMENT POSTPONED

The entertainment, which was to have been given at Company L hall tonight by Edmonia Watkins' club, has been postponed until further notice. Josephine Geeter, chairman.

INJURED BY FALL.

Mrs. John McCarty of Murrayville, while visiting Wednesday at the home of her sister, Mrs. William H. Mason on South Main street, had the misfortune to fall while walking down stairs, cutting an ugly gash in her head and fracturing her right shoulder blade. Dr. F. A. Norris was called and gave the necessary medical attention. Mrs. McCarty was carrying a glass in her hand at the time of the accident and in falling she also cut her ear on the broken glass. Although her injuries are not serious, she will not be able to be around for a few days.

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT.

Mr. and Mrs. William A. Furr have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Miss Coral Furr to Mr. Dan Leavitt Clarke, the ceremony to take place Thursday evening, April 4, at 8 o'clock, at the Congregational church. The "At Home" cards read "New Berlin After June 1."

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South and West Bound—

Kansas City Flyer	3:31 am
St. Louis ac. daily	6:00 am
Kansas C-St. L. local	10:21 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom.	3:55 pm
Kansas City Express	11:15 pm

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North Bound—

No. 47, daily ex. Sunday	11:22am
No. 11, daily ex. Sunday	4:50pm

South Bound—

No. 12, daily except Sunday	6:55am
No. 48, daily ex. Sunday	2:08pm

Wabash.

East Bound—

No. 72, local frt ex-Sun	11:17 am
No. 50, Springfield ac	6:19 pm
No. 2, daily	8:23 pm
No. 28, daily	1:48 am
No. 4, daily	8:28 am

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West Bound—

No. 9, daily	2:02 pm
No. 73, local frt ex-Sun.	2:25 pm
No. 3, daily	7:06 am
No. 15, daily,	7:11 pm
No. 51 Hannibal ac.	10:20 am

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North Bound—

No. 36, daily	7:40 am
No. 38, daily	3:40 pm
No. 38, Sun. only	6:00 pm
Local freight	6:00 am
No. 35, daily	10:55 am
No. 37, daily	7:35 pm
No. 37, Sun only	9:05 pm
Local freight	3:00 pm

MOTHERHOOD SUGGESTIONS

Advice to Expectant Mothers

The experience of Motherhood is a trying one to most women and marks distinctly an epoch in their lives. Not one woman in a hundred is prepared or understands how to properly care for herself. Of course nearly every woman nowadays has medical treatment at such times, but many approach the experience with an organism unfitted for the trial of strength, and when it is over her system has received a shock from which it is hard to recover. Following right upon this comes the nervous strain of caring for the child, and a distinct change in the mother results.

There is nothing more charming than a happy and healthy mother of children, and indeed child-birth under the right conditions need be no hazard to health or beauty. The unexplainable thing is that, with all the evidence of shattered nerves and broken health resulting from an unprepared condition, and with ample time in which to prepare, women will persist in going blindly to the trial.

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TAFT SMASHES RECALL DOCTRINE

President Shows Utter Hopelessness of Measure.

HE CALLS IT REACTIONARY

Chief Executive Says Advocacy of Recall Is Sewing Seeds of Tyranny and Confusion Throughout All the Land.

One broadside from the mighty intellectual guns of William Howard Taft, and the Rooseveltian ship, called "The Recall of Judges and of Judicial Decisions," was blown practically out of the water.

The principal plank in the platform upon which Colonel Roosevelt stands in his campaign for the Republican nomination for the Presidency, is the doctrine of the recall of judges and of decisions. It is pre-eminently a Roosevelt doctrine. It is his own. It is derided and decried by the legal fraternity from one end of the country to the other. It is revolutionary in character and in thought. It is a blow at the judiciary of the United States.

In his Columbus speech Colonel Roosevelt gave utterance to such statements as these:

"When a judge decides a constitutional question, when he decides what a people as a whole can or cannot do, the people should have a right to recall that decision if they think it is wrong."

Again he said:

"When the supreme court of a state declares a given statute unconstitutional because it is in conflict with the state or national constitutional, the opinion should be subject to revision by the people themselves."

Once more Roosevelt said:

"The decision of a state court on a constitutional question should be subject to revision by the people of the state."

The reply of President Taft—Taft, the jurist; Taft, the learned judge; Taft, the constitutionalist; Taft, a leader among great lawyers of this country—was eagerly awaited. He made an extented reply to the Roosevelt pronunciamento on the recall in Toledo, he referred to it several times during his recent Chicago visit.

And here is what the president said among other things:

"I have examined this proposed method of reversing judicial decisions on constitutional questions with care. I do not hesitate to say that it lays the axe at the foot of the tree of well ordered freedom and subjects the guaranties of life, liberty, and property without remedy to the fitful impulse of a temporary majority of an electorate."

Mr. Taft was vigorous and scholarly in his denunciations of the doctrine of the recall of judges and of judicial decisions. He said in Toledo:

"Such a proposition as this (the recall) is utterly without merit or utility, and, instead of being progressive, is reactionary; instead of being in the interest of all the people and of the stability of popular government, is sowing the seeds of tyranny and confusion."

Could any statements be stronger and more direct than these?

President Taft drew also these conclusions on the subject of the recall:

It is a complete misunderstanding of our form of government.

It would destroy all probability of consistency in constitutional interpretation.

It would amount to a temporary suspension of the constitution to enable a majority of the electorate to enforce a popular but invalid act.

One of the leaders at the American bar is United States Senator Elihu Root of New York. Mr. Root was secretary of war in the cabinet of William McKinley and was secretary of state in the cabinet of Theodore Roosevelt. He was one of the stanchest friends and advisors of Mr. Taft's predecessor.

In a speech delivered before the members of the New York State Bar association, January 20, 1912, Senator Root touched on the subject of the recall. President Taft was one of the guests of the association at that time and heard the address of the New York state senator. Mr. Root said:

"A sovereign people which declares that all men have inalienable rights, and imposes upon itself the great impersonal rules of conduct deemed necessary for the preservation of those rights, and at the same time declares that it will disregard those rules whenever, in any particular case, it is the wish of a majority of its voters to do so, establishes as complete a contradiction to the fundamental principles of our government as it is possible to conceive."

Taft on Cost of Living.

There is no doubt but that a commission could be appointed of such unprejudiced and impartial persons, experts in investigation of economic facts, that a very great deal of very valuable light could be shed on the reasons for the high prices that have so distressed the people of the world, and information given upon which action might be taken to reduce the cost of living.—Extract from a message of President Taft sent to congress February 21, 1912.

POINTS FOR POULTRY RAISERS.

The annual banquet of the Morgan County Poultry association will be held tonight at the Y. M. C. A. All arrangements are complete and the committee in charge prophesies the greatest gathering of this kind of the city if the weather will be in any way favorable. An excellent program toasts has been arranged and among the out of town visitors will be William Osburn of Morris, president of the state association; H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield, vice-president of the state association; Dr. and Mrs. Schwartz of Jerseyville, Mr. and Mrs. J. Howard Pike, Albert Vosseller and Mrs. Kelley of White Hall, George D. Hedrick and Mr. and Mrs. Morton Thomas of Carrollton and Mrs. W. L. Kincaid of Roodhouse.

Curing a Disease.

Now is the season when the chickens will have to be watched for "swell-head." This disease usually affects the eyes, causing them to swell, shut and fill with a white, hard matter. Some people catch the chicken and squeeze out this matter, thinking that thereby they relieve the bird and cure the disease. This is a mistake, and a very serious one.

The white matter is covered on all sides by a sac that prevents it from spreading to the balance of the head when it is in one eye only. If this sac is broken, as is done by squeezing, the contamination will spread and affect both eyes—then the only remedy is the ax.

Otherwise, if the fowl be placed in a warm box and fed a great deal of highly concentrated food, and not touched, it will gradually, through the blood, overcome the disease. The affected eye will, probably, be blind, but that will be all. Unless this sac is broken there is hardly any danger from infection of other fowls by the disease even if allowed to run together, though it is better to separate them.

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Alfalfa-meal has great value as a poultry food. The best alfalfa-meal contains more than eighteen per cent of protein, while wheat bran contains little more than twelve per cent, and clover-meal from six to seven per cent. As protein is the most costly and most valuable part of any food stuff, it follows that alfalfa-meal is more valuable than the others, pound for pound.

Jersey County Fanciers.

D. T. Heimlich returned Wednesday from Jerseyville, where he attended the annual banquet of the Jersey County Poultry association. The association in that county has been organized for less than a year and it has an unusually large membership. The banquet Tuesday night well demonstrated the great interest the people of that vicinity take in the poultry business. The business men of the city as well as the fanciers are enthusiastic concerning the work of the association and many were present to boost the project and show their interest.

Charles Fulkerson, president of the State Livestock association, was toastmaster and among the speakers were Fred Edwards of Delhi, president of the association; Judge D. T. Heimlich of this city, who has been secured as judge for the next show in Jersey county; Judge Pogue of Jerseyville; J. W. Becker, editor of the Jerseyville Republican; Elmer Leach of Alton, H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield, vice president of the state association; Mrs. Kelley of White Hall, secretary of the Greene county association, and Dr. George Schwartz of Jerseyville, secretary of the Jersey county association. Music for the evening was furnished by an orchestra and recitations and musical numbers were given between addresses, making the program a most interesting one.

The banquet served was an excellent one, the menu consisting of everything good to eat with "chicken and deviled eggs" in extra abundance. The affair was held in the Baptist church and the supper was served by the ladies of that church. It is well to mention that the Jersey county fanciers were assisted in organizing their association by William E. Thomson of this city, who made a special trip to Jerseyville and advised them concerning the constitution to be adopted and other matters relative to organization.

H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield was in the city Wednesday and he spoke very highly of the association in Jersey county. He says, however, that the Greene county association is the strongest in the state. Mr. Wilhite will be one of the speakers at the banquet of the local association to night.

Grit must be sharp.
Feed before you water.
Do not feed grass for grit.
Feed a mash the year round.
Clean out the feed troughs daily.
Oyster shells are too soft for grit.
Never throw soft feed on the ground.
Round pebbles will not answer for grit.
In feeding grain in the runs broadcast it.
Millet seed is a great egg-dropping grain.
Always feed the mash crumbly, not sloppy.
Do not allow the mash to sour in the troughs.
A quart of feed for twelve hens is a good measure.
Do not feed corn during the hot weather.

Small Flocks Pay.

A small flock will prove more profitable, in proportion to numbers, than a large one. This enables those who lives on small areas to procure eggs at nominal cost. The same amount of food given to a pigs and a flock of hens for comparison will give better results with the fowl than with the pig, to say nothing of the fact that the flesh of poultry is superior to that of the hog, while greater cleanliness is also secured. There is no good reason why every suburban resident should not keep a small flock of fowls, whether his area is large or small.

VIRDEN CHURCH DEDICATED.

President Rammelkamp of Illinois College Takes Part in Services.

President C. H. Rammelkamp of Illinois college has returned from Virden, where on Tuesday night he delivered an address at the dedication of the new Presbyterian church in that city. Although the services continue through the week the dedication proper took place on Sunday, when Rev. William McKibben, D.D., LL. D., president of Lane Theological seminary, Cincinnati, Ohio, delivered the sermon.

The Presbyterian church in Virden was organized in April, 1854. The first steps toward the erection of a church building was taken in November, 1856, and the building was completed in December, 1857, at a cost of $4,000, Prof. W. D. Sanders preaching the dedicatory sermon on March 24, 1858. Rev. W. L. Tarbet was its first regular minister and remained with the church seventeen years. When the church was first organized there were only eight members and now it has a membership of 130 and some very large Sunday school classes. The new edifice is erected at a cost of $20,000 and is of brick and stone. It is modern in every detail, the interior as well as the exterior being beautiful and most attractive.

Mrs. A. R. Tabor of Crider, Mo., had been troubled with sick headache for about five years, when she began taking Chamberlain's Tablets. She has taken two bottles of them and they have cured her. Sick headache is caused by a disordered stomach for which these tablets are especially intended. Try them, get well and stay well. Sold by all dealers.

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Commissioner.

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Allinson Thomason.

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G. V. Skinner.

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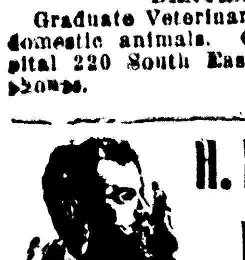

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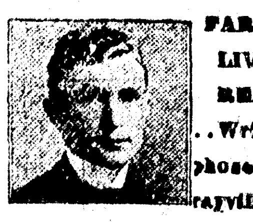

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FOR SALE—Upright piano, slightly used. A bargain this week. Leaving town. Inquire 744 Hardin avenue. 19-3t

FOR SALE—Lot on North Church St., house No. 822, owned by Mrs. Wimberly's estate. M. T. Layman, executor. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey cow, 5 years old; also Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for setting. F. H. Thies. Ill. phone 538. 20-5t

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FOR SALE—Winter apples and sweet cider. Ill. phone 60-86. 2-16-1mo

FOR SALE—Seed corn, 1910 crop, Reid's yellow dent, best in the world, $2.00 per bushel. Ill. phone 0143. Charles West, Jacksonville, Ill. 3-12-1m.

FOR SALE—Typewriters, extra bargains. Laning, 216 W. State St. 16-tf

FOR SALE—New modern 8 room house with barn; lot 50x300 feet; easy terms. Zell's grocery. 5-tf

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FOR SALE—5,000 white oak fence posts and 100 white oak and burr oak end posts. T. E. Laurie, 023½ Ill. phone. 23-tf

MEN'S clothing and furniture bought and sold. Dunn's, 212 S. Mauvaisterre St. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn eggs for setting, 15 for 50c. Everett Reynolds, Ill. phone 084. 20-3t

FOR SALE—Two nice sows with pigs, one brood sow, four shoats, all immune from cholera. Herbert Henderson. Inquire at Henderson & DePew's. Ill. phone 109. 14-tf

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THE MARKETS

Chicago, March 20, 1912.

	High.	Low.	Close.
Wheat—			
May	$1.02⅝	$1.01⅝	$1.01¾
July	.98⅝	.98	.98⅜
Sept.	.96⅝	.95⅝	.96¼
Corn—			
May	.71⅝	.71	.71½
July	.72	.71⅝	.72
Sept.	.72	.71½	.72
Oats—			
May	.53½	.53	.53⅜
July	.50	.49⅝	.49⅞
Sept.	.42⅝	.42⅜	.42½
Pork—			
May	16.50	16.37½	16.50
July	16.85	16.70	16.85
Lard—			
May	9.60	9.57½	9.60
July	9.80	9.75	9.80
Sept.	10.00	9.95	10.00
Ribs—			
May	9.30	9.22½	9.30
July	9.42½	9.30	9.42½
Sept.	9.62½	9.50	9.62½

Grain Letter.

Chicago, March 21.—Wheat—No decided tendency was shown, but the tone was not strong. Northwestern receipts falling off, large flour sales reported from that section. Bradstreets corrects yesterday's report of the world's visible to show a small increase for the week instead of a large decrease. Large Argentine shipments are looked for. The general re-appearance of winter weather with reports that the crop is covered with ice and likely to suffer from smothering encouraged buying of July and September.

Corn—Bad weather in all directions encouraged local bulls to again become aggressive. Shorts were active buyers. Country offerings continue disappointing, but shipping demand is equally so. Argentine preparing to supply Europe heavily with corn to be exclusion of the United States. No bull help can be expected from abroad.

Oats—Showed a disposition to lag through a lack of interest. The outsider does not appear to appreciate the situation. At a time of year when oats seeding is usually in progress, we are in the throes of winter with spring plowing yet to be done. Oats seeding will be late without a question. The ground will be cold and wet and germination will probably be slow. Conditions will tend to restrict the acreage and a small area is probable. Delayed pastures will be the result of the bad weather and will lead to heavy feeding. With hay at extremely high prices, the consumption of oats will be unusually heavy. Farm stocks are not large. Country elevator stocks are small. There is now every indication that old oats will be practically exhausted before the new crop is available. There is every reason to expect a very high price in July. New oats, even if available, will not be marketed freely at reduced figures. We believe July and September ats should be bought now while they are cheap and before the entire trade fully realizes conditions and the advanced prices to an unattractive point.

Provisions—Hog receipts light. Hogs at the yards made a new top, selling at $7.35. Hogs have been marketed heavy all winter and supplies must have been reduced to a considerable extent. Bad spring roads will soon curtail hog receipts and no material decline in prices can be expected. Stocks of provisions are liberal, but they are strongly held. With raw material higher than finished product, the latter should be a profitable investment. We have had a good advance and profit taking may cause setbacks. Take advantage of them to invest.

Chicago Cash Grain Market.

Chicago, March 20.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.01¾ to $1.02¾; No. 3 red, $1.00 to $1.02¼; No. 2 hard winter, $1.01½ to $1.05; No. 3 hard winter, $1.00 to $1.03; No. 2 northern spring, $1.12 to $1.14; No. 2 northern spring, $1.07 to $1.13; No. 3 northern spring, $1.04 to $1.09; No. 2 spring, $1.00 to $1.07; No. 3 spring, $1.03 to $1.08; No. 3 spring, 95c to $1.06.

Corn—No. 2, 66½ to 67c; No. 3, 64½ to 65½c; No. 2 white, 68 to 68½c; No. 4 white, 66 to 67c; No. 3 yellow, 67¼ to 68c; No. 4 yellow, 65 to 66½c.

Oats—No. 4, 54 to 54½c; No. 3 white, 52¾ to 53½c; No. 4 white, 50 to 53c; standard, 53¾ to 54½c.

St. Louis Cash Grain Market.

St. Louis, March 21.—Wheat—No. 2 red, $1.02 to $1.02¾c; No. 3 red, $1.00 to $1.01; No. 4 red, 95 to 98½c; No. 2 hard winter, $1.02 to $1.11; No. 3 hard winter, 95 to 98c.

Corn—No. 3, 68c; No. 4, 65½ to 66c; No. 3 white, 68 to 68½c; No. 4 white, 66 to 67c; No. 2 yellow, 68 to 69c.

Oats—No. 2, 53c; No. 3, 52½c; No. 4, 51½c; No. 2 white, 54 to 54½c; No. 3 white, 53½c; No. 4 white, 52½ to 53c.

Chicago Livestock Market.

Cattle—Receipts, 16,000; market, steady. Beeves, $5.00@8.75; Texas steers, $4.50@5.85; western steers, $5.00@6.85; stockers and feeders, $4.00@6.25; cows and heifers, $2.25@6.60; calves, $5.50@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 25,000; market, 15c higher. Light, $6.90@7.25; mixed, $6.95@7.35; heavy, $6.95@7.35; rough, $6.95@7.10; pigs $4.90@6.70; bulk of sales, $7.15@7.25.

Sheep—Receipts, 25,000; market, weak. Native, $3.90@5.85; western, $4.40@5.90; yearlings, $5.40@6.80; lambs, native, $5.80@7.75; western, $6.10@7.90.

St. Louis Livestock Market.

St. Louis, Mo., March 20.—Cattle—Receipts, 2,900; market, steady to strong. Native shipping and export steers, $7.50@8.50; dressed and butcher steers, $5.50@8.00; stockers and feeders, $4.25@6.25.

Hogs—Receipts, 6,500; market, 25c higher. Pigs and lights, $5.00@7.35; mixed and butchers, $7.20@7.50; good, $7.35@7.50.

Sheep—Receipts, 2,800; market, steady. Native muttons, $4.00@6.00; lambs, $6.00@8.00.

New York Money Market.

New York, March 10.—Prime mercantile paper, 4 to 4½ per cent.

Sterling exchange steady with actual business in bankers' bills at 4.84.15 for 60 day bills and at 4.87.30 for demand.

Commercial bills, 4.83½.

Money on call steady, 2¼@2½ per cent; ruling rate, 2⅜ per cent; closing bid, 2⅜ per cent; offered at 2½ per cent.

Time loans strong; sixty days, 3¼ per cent; 90 days, 3½ per cent; six months, 3½@3¾ per cent.

New York Stocks.

Amalgamated Copper	76½
American Beet Sugar	58¼
American Car & Foundry	55¾
American Cotton Oil	51
American Locomotive	48
American Smelting & Refining	78⅞
Amer Smelt & Refining pfd	105⅝
American Sugar Refining	125⅝
Anaconda Mining Co.	40½
Atchison	107⅞
Atlantic Coast Line	138⅜
Baltimore & Ohio	105⅝
Brooklyn Rapid Transit	81⅝
Canadian Pacific	234⅛
Chesapeake & Ohio	77
Chicago & Northwestern	142¾
Chicago, Mil. & St. Paul	109¾
Colorado Fuel & Iron	28½
Colorado & Southern	42½
Delaware & Hudson	170¾
Denver & Rio Grande	40¾
Erie	37⅛
Erie	37⅛
Great Northern pfd	134⅛
Great Northern Ore Ctfs	40¾
Illinois Central	129¾
Interborough-Met. pfd	59¾
Louisville & Nashville	157
Missouri Pacific	44
Missouri, Kansas & Texas	29¾
National Biscuit	153
National Lead	55¾
New York Central	113⅞
Norfolk & Western	110
Northern Pacific	122⅜
Pacific Mail	32⅜
Pennsylvania	124⅜
People's Gas	107⅛
Pullman Palace Car	159
Reading	158⅜
Rock Island Co.	27⅛
Rock Island Co. pfd	52
Southern Pacific	112½
Southern Railway	30⅛
Union Pacific	169⅞
United States Steel	68
United States Steel pfd	112¾
Wabash	7
Wabash pfd	18½
Western Union	83½
Lehigh Valley	164⅞
International Harvester	115⅛
General Electric	166¼

HOME MARKETS.

Provisions.

Commission men pay:

Hens	10c
Old roosters	5c
Ducks	10c
Guineas, each	15c
Geese	6c
Turkeys	14c
Toms	12c
Eggs	16c
Butter	20c

Grocers pay farmers:

Apples	75c@$1.00
Potatoes	$1.00
Onions	$1.00@$1.25
Hens	10c
Springs	10c
Butter	30c
Eggs	18c
Lard	11c
Turnips	75c

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P. K. Beerup of Alexander was a city visitor yesterday.

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PLAINTIFF ON WITNESS STAND

MISS MERCER GIVEN SEVERE CROSS EXAMINATION.

Is Suing Dean of Women at University of Chicago For $100,000 For Defamation of Character—History of Case.

Chicago, March 21.—For several hours today in Judge Pomeroy's court, Miss Esther Mercy, a former student of the University of Chicago, who is suing Marion Talbot, dean of women at that institution, for $100,000 for alleged defamation of character, underwent a severe cross-examination. She still was on the stand when court adjourned and will resume her testimony tomorrow.

At times today Miss Mercy's answers to questions were heated, especially when reference was made to her fiance, Warren E. Reynolds, who gave her a hat that was worth $250. The alleged theft of a pompom from this hat started a quarrel that ended in Miss Mercy's expulsion from the university.

Miss Mercy said she learned shortly after she met Reynolds that he was married. She was asked if she had not told a man, who she later admitted on the stand she understood was a former convict, that Reynolds would inherit $100,000 on his mother's death and that he intended to divorce his wife and marry her.

The court, however, sustained an objection to the question. Objection also was sustained to a question as to whether she had investigated Reynolds' reported inheritance.

"We expect to prove," Attorney Walker, representing Dean Talbot, said, "during the course of the witness' examination that her veracity is worth nothing and that because of this she was discharged from the university. We will attempt to show that her general character was such that she was unfit for the university. We are not trying to prove that she was immoral."

A letter from Harry Pratt Judsen to the registrar of Northwestern university, where Miss Mercy was refused admittance after she left the University of Chicago, was introduced. It read:

"Miss Ether Mercy is a regularly matriculated student in the University of Chicago. She has not been permitted to re-register in the university for reasons that have no direct bearing on her scholastic standing, but her truthfulness has been sensationally called into mention." Miss Mercy told of her visit to office of Dresident Judson after charges had been made against her by Dean Talbot.

"I say for God's sake can't you help me out?" she testified.

"What did the president say?"

"He told me he was too busy to listen to me."

KEEP UP CAMPAIGN

Senator LaFollette Will Soon Start on Another Speaking Tour—Statement Issued.

Washington, March 21.—Senator LaFollette, when he returned from North Dakota today, issued a statement in part as follows:

"I shall spend a few days in Washington and then begin a thorough speaking campaign, covering all the territory until the last delegate is named. In co-operation with state organizations and speakers we shall plan to reach the people directly with a discussion of the principles as we did in North Dakota, where I believe will bring the same results.

"I don't believe there was a cleaner fight in the North Dakota. In the former campaigns I have never known of more crowded meetings.

"You will find in all progressive territory protest against the surrender of the progressive movement into the hands of soft-shell progressives and reactionaries. Political manipulation may have succeeded in obscuring the issues and doing about temporary disorganization of the progressive forces here at the capital, but the people throughout the country never saw more clearly and never were more strongly united for progressive.

"In devoting my time so largely to public discussion of the issues throughout the country, I am confident that I shall be rendering my best public service at this time."

BOWLING CHAMPIONS.

Chicago, March 21.—The final shots were rolled in the five team event of the American Bowling congress tournament to night. When thirty-six teams finished the closing game the Brunswicks of New York, who took the lead last night with a score of 2904, were proclaimed 1912 champions. Their score was the second highest that ever has landed first prize for a national meet. Last year the Flenners of Chicago won the championship with 2,924.

WRESTLERS MATCHED.

Portland, Ore., March 21.—Champion Gotch and Stanilaus Zbyszko, it is said, will mee in a match in July. It is proposed to hold the match at the time of t he national convention of Elks, July 8-13.

TO DISARM CITIZENS.

Elcentre, Cal., March 21.—Mexican federal authorities are taking steps to disarm all citizens along the international border, throughout lower California and Sonora, according to reports received here to day.

INSURANCE MAN UNDER ARREST

ADJUSTER ACCUSED OF CONSPIRACY TO DEFRAUD.

I. I. Marcus of Chicago Taken Into Custody in Springfield While on Way to Hot Springs, Ark.—Taken Back to Peoria.

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—The arrest in this city, Wednesday of I. I. Marcus, of Chicago, a well known fire insurance adjuster, is regarded by State Fire Marshal Doyle as one of the most important arrests made by his department since its origin about a year ago.

Marcus was arrested by Deputy Fire Marshal Lovejoy, charged with being implicated with William Schwartz, who was recently sent to the penitentiary for burning his home near Peoria. When taken into custody Marcus was on his way to Hot Springs, Ark., and stopped off here to change trains. He was taken back to Peoria by Deputy Sheriff Walters of this city and was bound over to await the action of the Peoria county grand jury, under bonds of $1,000.

It is alleged that Marcus conspired with Schwartz to defraud the insurance companies which carried risk with home of the latter by means of inflated appraisals of the building and the contents.

According to the firemarshal the household goods in the dwelling were moved out and were later located in a barn.

The accused is a member of the firm of Marcus & Co., insurance adjusters for the Assured of Chicago. The company has offices in many of the larger cities of the country.

DUPLICATE TRAGEDY

Virginia Court House Fight Duplicated for Moving Pictures—Outlaws Still at Large.

Hillsville, Va., March 21.—Another troop of mountain outlaws rode into the Carroll county court house to day, shot the judge off his bench and duplicated the gruesome assassination of a week ago—but this time it was only for the moving pictures. The actors did more firing and made more racket, and caused almost as much fuss as the real outlaws did; and Hillsville almost had as much excitement.

Meanwhile the chase of the outlaws, for all that most folks here know, has not progressed.

The posse which left here on Tuesday night has not been heard from since. It is not known that the hunters will not quarter in Hillsville, but will stay out in the mountains and camp on the trail of the outlaws.

The countryside is on the tiptoe of fear and excitement. Women do not venture out after dark, neither do many men. Children are kept away from school.

Andrew P. Howlett, who was shot in the back during the affray at the court house, is still alive, but there is no hope for his recovery.

ACCUSATION MADE.

Railroads Charged With Blocking Tax Legislation in Iowa.

Des Moines, March 21.—Charges that the railroads packed the state tax conference to block all efforts made by the teomporary commission to revise tax legislation in Iowa were made on the floor on the conference this afternoon. Chairman Cohen declared that the railroads organized to control the conference because "they fear the commission will urge terminal tax legislation and the lumping of all railroad taxes in to the state treasury in its report to the next legislature."

It was charged tat Robert Haines, a local lawyer, who headed the faction which opposed a permanent tax commission and practically every other movement, is employed by the railroads to control the conference. Trembling with excitement, J. H. McConologue, a member of the commission, pointed to Mr. Haines and shouted:

"All the corporations of the country cannot prevent the commission from reporting its tax reforms to the next legislature."

The only resolution adopted was one approving the investigations of the commission. The convention appears hopelessly divided.

TAKEN TO PRISON.

Chicago, March 21.—The four convicted murderers of Mrs. Hattie Kaufman—George Rabenau, John Stacey Frederick Boneham and William R. Channell, were taken to the state prison at Joliet to day. Rabenau was sentenced to life imprisonment and the other three men to 25 years each.

Mrs. Kaufman was shot and instantly killed in an attempted holdup, almost in front of her own door, early in December. She and her husband had been to a theater and were returning home.

TEN INNING TIE GAME.

Birmingham, Ala., March 21.—Birmingham and the Chicago Nationals played ten innings here to day to a score of 4 to 4. Manager Chance disposed of two of his young pitchers. Jim Nagle will go to Montgomery and Clarence Marshall is turned back to Rockford, Ill.

TEN ROUND BOUT.

New York, March 21.—Bob Maha of Milwaukee, had the better, except the first, in each round of a ten round bout with Sailor Burke of Brooklyn here to night.

ALL DEMANDS VOTED DOWN

REFUSE SHORTER HOURS AND INCREASE IN PAY.

Action Taken by Bituminous Coal Operators—As a Compromise Dispute Left to Committee of Mine Workers and Operators.

Cleveland, Ohio, March 21.—All the demands of the 200,000 miners in the bituminous coal fields of Western Pennsylvania, Indiana and Illinois for a 10 per cent increase in pay and shorter working hours were voted down by the operators to day.

As a final effort to prevent a prolonged shutdown of the mines after April 1, and possibly a strike, the whole dispute was referred to a subcommittee composed of eight miners' delegates and eight operators, will convene at 9 a. m. tomorrow to consider the possibiliyt of a compromise to the general conference.

Both operators and miners declared, after the union demands ha been refused that the coal situation throughout the country was grave. Intimations were made by John P. White, president of the United Mine Workers of America, that the negotiations here might continue until next Monday when the union's policy committee will convene. Besides the 200,000 miners in the four states directly concerned, 150,000 bituminous coal miners in other states are dependent upon the present deliberations for a basis of making their wage scale, and in addition the policy committee will consider the wage demands of about 170,000 anthracite miners.

It was pointed out by President White that the wages of more than 500,000 union miners after April 1, were in dispute and that the coal output of the country, other than that mined by non-union men, was involved.

News from New York that the Anthracite operators and miners might reconsider their differences, however, and the effect of arousing confidence among union of the anthracite situation might be eliminated. The operators said that they did not look upon the reference of the dispute to a sub-committee as holding out any prospects of immediate settlement.

TO KEEP IRISH AT HOME.

National Council of Dublin Appeals to Taft to Check Depopulation of Ireland.

Washington, March 21.—In a letter addressed to President Taft, the national council of Dublin has appealed for rigid enforcement of American immigration laws as a means of preventing further depopulation of Ireland by emigration. The council declares that Ireland has lost nearly half of its people in the last sixty-five years by "unnecessary and abnormal" emigration and that the obliteration of the Irish nation actuany threatened. It is asserted that the British government views this prospect with "complacence or satisfaction."

Irish emigration, the letter says, is directed largely to the United States, and it is estimated that one-third of the people who leave the country travel on tickets purchased for them by residents of the United States, in violation of the law.

OBJECTS TO SCHEDULE.

Danville, Ill., March 21.—President Boyle of the Danville Three Eye league team has received letters from other magnates requesting him to join in a demand that the schedule arranged by James T. Hayes, of Davenport, be re-arranged or a new one drafted. The principal objections are over the long jumps, which appear to be unnecessarily frequent and would add considerably to the expenses to the most of the teams.

President Boyle has written to Hayes about the matter, and it is expected that President Tearney will call a special meeting of the league directors to consider it.

DIED OF INJURIES.

Danville, Ill., March 21.—John H. Green, of Detroit, the colored dining car chef who was terribly burned in the wreck near West Lebanon, Ind., of the Wabash Continental Limited train, March 7, died today, making the third fatality. Six other injured passengers remaining in a local hospital are getting along nicely and will soon be discharged.

BOHEMIAN WON.

Cleveland, March 21.—Joe Smejkal, heavy weight champion wrestler of Bohemia, to night triumphed over Eric Gustavson of Norway and Constant De Lelion of Belgium, winning two falls from each. But 29½ minutes were required for Smejkal's victory. Each of the men weighed about 250 pounds.

JEWS WILL SAVE VOTES

Chicago, March 21—County Judge Owens to day entered an order allowing judges and clerks of the primary election on April 9 to mark ballots for voters of the Jewish faith. Primary day falls on the last day of the Jewish passover and all orthodox Jews do not write on that day. Between 12,000 and 15,000 voters will save their ballots by the order, it is estimated.

FAMOUS JOCKEY DEAD.

Oakland, Cal., March 21.—"Iceman" Spencer, famous as a jockey, died here to day. He was in comfortable circumstances, having saved much of the fortune he had accumulated ten years ago, when he was riding for big fees.

COMMISSION ISSUES A NEW RULING

"Free Agent" Decision Attracts Notice in Baseball Circles.

Cincinnati, March 21.—In a decision today by the National Baseball commission a new rule was adopted affecting players known as "free agents."

Player Charles A. Deal complained that while a free agent he signed with the Philadelphia National league team. On reporting March 9, 1912, he was informed that he had been released to the Lancaster team of the Tri-state league at a salary of fifty per cent less than he had signed for.

The commission annulled the release to the Lancaster club and restored Deal to his status as a free agent. The rule adopted declares that a free agent who signs a contract with a National club and is transferred without his consent to another club, or released without a trial shall be declared a free agent if the club to which he is released does not concede to the salary of the contract.

NEXT ENCAMPMENT

Old Fashioned Regimental Affair Will Be Held This Year—Begins July 6th.

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—Adjutant General Frank S. Dickson announced to day there would be at Camp Lincoln, Springfield, this year an old fashioned regimental encampment, beginning July 6.

The first, second, fourth, fifth, seventh and eighth infantry regiments, the signal corps and field hospital will be brought here for the 1912 encampment.

The third and sixth infantry regiments will join the regular army militia maneuvers in July at Sparta, Wis. The artillery batallion will go to Fort Sill, Okla., to participate in regular army maneuvers there.

The first Illinois cavalry will take a practice march out of Chicago on July 5th. The regimental encampment will continue, beginning July 6th, for a period of seven or eight weeks. This will bring to Springfield during that time a total of 6,000 men.

SUSTAINS DEMURRER

Attorney General Upheld by Judge Thompson in Suit of Democratic Committee Candidates.

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—Judge Owen P. Thompson, in the Sangamon county circuit court today, sustained the demurrer of the attorney general to the petition for a mandamus filed by Attorney Francis E. Hinckley of Chicago, to compel the secretary of state to certify to the various county clerks of the state, the names of J. S. Mulnerney and Frank Paschen of Chicago, as candidates for Democratic nomination for state central committeemen-at-large.

Judge Thompson holds the primary law does not specifically provide for such an office, but admitted the law was full of "blow-holes."

In the cases attacking the petitions of Sullivan candidates for state central committeemen in the twelfth, thirteenth, fourteenth and twenty-second congressional district, the state raised the point that the names of those candidates had already been certified by the secretary of state.

Attorney Hinckley was granted leave to amend, and to make the county clerks in the following districts involved co-defendants:

Winnebago, Boone, DeKalb, LaSalle, Kendall, Grundy, of the twelfth district; Jo Davies, Stephensen, Ogle, Whiteside, Carroll and Lee, of thirteenth district; Rock Island, Mercer, Henderson, Warren, Hancock and McDonough, of the fourteenth district, and Bond, Madison, St. Clair, Monroe and Washington, of the twenty-second district.

WILL OPPOSE NEW LEAGUE.

Rock Island, Ill., March 21.—Word was received here to day from President Tearney of the Three Eye league that he would oppose the launching of the Mississippi Valley League, organized yesterday under the national agreement five-mile territorial clause, although the individual Three Eye league cities have waived in the matter.

The Mississippi Valley league is composed of Rock Island, Moline, Cedar Rapids, Waterloo, Clinton and Iowa City.

FOUND BOMB ON ICE.

Chicago, March 21.—Bryce Millar, engineer on a city fire tug, found a bomb on a cake of ice in the river to day. Millar struck the bomb with a sledge hammer to determine if it contained explosives.

Physicians say Millar and Henry Newbert and Maurice Murphy will be out of te hispital in about a week.

Terrence Kelly, a fireman, was able to go home after being treated by a physician.

BALFOUR FAILS.

London, March 21.—Arthur J. Balfour's motion for the rejection of the minimum wage bill was defeated, and the government measure passed its second reading in the house to night. The vote stood 348 to 225. The laborites and nationalists voted with the government.

RESCUED CHILDREN.

Dubuque, Iowa, March 21.—William Maus, a teamster, rescued three children from drowning in the Mississippi river to day after they had broken through the ice. He could not swim.

THE OKLAHOMA MINE HORRER

TWENTY-SIX OF THE MINERS RESCUED ALIVE.

Fifty-two Bodies Recovered and Twenty-nine Located — Rescued Men Kept Themselves Alive by Use of Air Pumps.

McCurtain, Okla., March 21.—At midnight 107 of the 116 men at work in the Sans Bois mine No. 2, when the property was wrecked by an explosion yesterday, had been accounted for.

Twenty-six of the number were rescued alive, one has since died, 52 bodies have been recovered and 29 bodies have been located.

The men rescued to day were found huddled in a room on the thirteenth level. They rushed there when they heard the explosion and kept themselves alive with an air pump. Searching parties were directed to the room by tappings on the pipes. The condition of two of the men is serious, but the others seem none the worse for their experience.

Financial assistance for families of the victims came from all parts of the United States to day. One contribution of $5,000 was voted by the United Mine Workers of America, of District No. 21. To night three carloads of provisions arrived from Fort Smith.

TAKEN AS INSULT

Manager of Los Angeles Athletic Club Takes Offense at Telegram From Wolgast's Manager.

Los Angeles, Cal., March 21.—The official telegrams between Tom McCarey, manager of the Vernon Athletic club, and Tom Jones, manager of Champion Wolgast, now at Seattle, which caused the break between the two, and the callinft of the Wolgast-Rivers fight, scheduled here for July 4, were made public to day. Jones' telegram follows:

"Wolgast and the whole famliy have been laughing at your joke. We are ready to talk business and will work July 4, but terms must be reasonable. You have first chance to land us, and have numerous propositions. Our previous terms stand. If not satisfactory will negotiate elsewhere."

To this Manager McCarey replied:

"The wording of your telegram is an insult to a man of my standing. If you consider a $12,500 offer as a joke, then you are not the man to manage a world's champion. Keep on 'laughing' at $12,500 offers and you'll be managing Billy Papke again. Wolgast will not be asked to box here again as long as he is managed, or rather mismanaged, by you. Have another 'laugh' with me."

USED C., B. & Q. WIRE.

The Journal's Associated Press dispatches were received Thursday night over a C., B. & Q. wire via Beardstown. This service was made up through the courtesy of Arthur Atkins of the C., B. & Q. offices at Beardstown. Thursday afternoon Manager Pine of the Western Union and W. H. DeShara, Associated Press operator, took an instrument and went out north on the C. & A. tracks to a point where Western Union wires are in a tangle and tested out a number of wires but found none which were not grounded. On the way back Mr. DeShara stopped at the C., B. & Q. station, called up Mr. Atkins for assistance and the latter agreed to do what he could. As a result a Wabash wire was used to Chapin and from that point Mr. Atkins made up the service into Chicago. Of all the down state papers taking the Associated Press report only the Decatur Herald and Decatur Review were without service. Decatur was clear off the map yesterday so far as any communication from the outside world was concerned.

WILL GO TO PEORIA.

Dr. Robert Buckthorpe of this city, William Fairlee and Louis Massie will go to Peoria today to attend a ceremonial session of the Mystic Shrine. J. S. Hackett will also probably attend and a number of Waverly men will also be there.

ELECTRIC LIGHT MEN MEET.

Springfield, Mass., March 21.—More than five hundred delegates from cities and towns throughout New England are attending the annual convention of the New England section of the National Electric Light association which assembled in this city today with headquarters at the Hotel Kimball. The program for the gathering covers two days and provides for the discussion of electrical problems by some of the leading experts of America.

AUGUSTA'S DAY TO CELEBRATE.

Augusta, Ga., March 21.—Augusta held a celebration today to call public attention to the fact that it has handled a half million bales of the 1911 cotton crop since September 1 last, a record never before attained in the history of the cotton market in this city. The celebration was conducted by the Augusta cotton exchange and board of trade.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

The Woman's Relief Corp will meet this afternoon at the G. . R. hall.

Mary H. Waller, Pres.
Mary F. Taylor, Press. Cor.

See Ibsen's "The Doll House," at I. W. C., Monday night.

FAMOUS LETTERS ARE ADMITTED

JUDGE HANDS PERMITS INTRODUCTION OF CORRESPONDENCE IN SUGAR CASE.

Letters Between Head of Trust and His Cousin "David" Supposedly Give Inside Facts About Alleged Plan to Close Rival Plants.

New York, March 21.—The famous Cousin David letters that passed between Washington B. Thomas, head of the sugar trust, and his cousin, David S. Stelson, contain confidential information gained by Stelson from Adolph Segal about the Pennsylvania Sugar Refining company, become part of the record to day in the trial of Thomas, John E. Parsons and other officials of the American Sugar Refining company for alleged criminal violation of the Sherman law.

Judge Hands' decision to admit the letters originally made public at the congressional sugar investigation, which counsel for the defense endeavored to keep out, was hailed as a strong point scored by the government in support of its contention that the "trust" conspired to close its rival plants. The letters were introduced after Samuel Untermeyer had told how the trust refused to allow the Pennsylvania plant to operate until Untermeyer paid Gustav Kissel a loan of what is alleged to have been the "trust's money" to him; how the plant went into the hands of a receiver, and how the trust had compromised for $2,000,000 a suit for damages brought by the bankrupt company's minority stockholders.

Mr. Untermeyer who was engaged by Segal as his attorney when the latter became convinced that it was the American Sugar Refining company which had loaned him the $1,250,000, told of correspondence which he had with John E. Parsons, counsel for the trust in regard to the loan agreement which provided that the refinery be closed until the loan was paid. The correspondence was put in evidence.

The witness said he explained to Parsons that his client was unable to pay the loan, but could pay the interest and get the money necessary to start the refinery on a "one thousand barrel a day plan."

Unless the refinery was allowed to run the witness said he explained, Segal could never pay the loan. All such offers Untermeyer said, were rejected, for the latter had taken the situation before Havemeyer, then the head of the "trust." Havemeyer he asserted, refused to listen to any suggestions of compromise and said that the refinery could no; open until the loan was paid in full.

The receivership and the $2,000,000 compromise of the suit for damages then followed, the witness recited.

LARGE CLASS INITIATED.

Twenty-one Members Taken Into Caritas Rebekah Lodge.

One of the largest classes in the history of Caritas Rebekah lodge No. 625, I. O. O. F., was initiated Thursday night, when twenty-one new names were added to the already large list of members. The degree team was in splendid condition and the work was well done. The lodge has six more candidates which they will consider at a subsequent meeting. Following the work a light lunch was served.

The following are the names of the new members: C. H. Roberts, Marie Piepenbring, Mrs. Minnie B. Brown, Hubert A. Littler, Mary Sheppard, Stella Spence, Grace Toler, Kate DeHaven, Mona Weeks, J. W. Boyd, Stella Bambrook, Rhoda Hedrick, Alice Littler, Jeanette Foreman, Anna Williams, Ella Williams, F. J. Muehlhausen, Susie Scott, Ethel Harney, Mrs. Fred Atkinson, Maude Ward.

STREAMS OVERFLOWING.

Chicago, March 21.—Almost every stream and river in the Mississippi Valley in the last 24 hours has been swollen far beyond its banks by melting ice and snow. More damage has resulted from the inundation, it is said, than from the blizzard which preceded it. Rising temperatures are predicted for to day and tomorrow, and it is feared that greater damage will be wrought by rising water.

HEAVY LOSS AT TAYLORVILLE.

Springfield, March 21.—A sleet storm has put Taylorville, Ill., in darkness, isolated the city from all wire communication with the outside world, stopped street car service and prevented the publication of the daily newspapers, entailing damages to the utilities companies which will amount to $50,000.

Falling trees blocked the streets, all wires are down, and in some instances, homes have been damaged and crushed by the large trees in their fall.

SHOT WIFE AND SELF.

Metropolis, Ill., March 21.—James Uzzle late today entered his wife's bedroom as she was putting her sleeping baby to bed and fired four bullets into her body. He then shot himself in the head and fell across her. Neither died immediately, and neighbors, attracted by the shots, say they found Uzzle choking his dying wife. Both will die. Jealousy is said to have caused the deed.

TAGGART RE-ELECTED.

Indianapolis, March 21.—Thomas Taggart tonight was re-elected Democratic national committeeman for Indiana.

Although he announced his withdrawl from active politics and twice refused the honor, he accepted after receiving a unanimous third ballot.

NOTED THIEF [redacted] UNDER ARREST

POSTOFFICE INSPECTOR CAPTURES DANIEL CALLAHAN.

Wanted For Jewel Robberies and Also Robbery of Postoffice Sub-station at Chicago—Hunted For Eighteen Years.

St. Louis, Mo., March 21.—Daniel Callahan was arrested today by Postoffice Inspector Bunsen, who says the prisoner is wanted for complicity in the diamond robberies aggregating $120,000 and the robbery of a postoffice sub-station here and several other points.

The Inspector says Callahan headed a gang which stole $100,000 worth of diamonds from Mrs. Baldwin Drummond, daughter-in-law of the late Marshal Field, in February, 1911, and which bound and gagged two men and stole $40,000 worth of jewels from Edward Albert's store in Chicago in April, 1911, and killed a man in getting away.

Bunsen, who has been looking for Callahan for eighteen months for the postoffice robbery, was eating in a restaurant, when he noticed that an index finger of a man opposite him was missing at the first joint. He then saw the resemblance between a photograph of Callahan and the man opposite him. With the aid of a city detective, Bunsen arrested Callahan and his companion, who gave the name of Charles F. Miller.

Callahan at first denied his identity, and, according to the city detective, tried to bribe Bunsen.

Callahan's name also has been given to the federal authorities as the leader of the gang which entered Spaulding & Co.'s warehouse in Chicago in February, 1911, and stole $10,000 worth of jewelry. It is known that Callahan was arrested in London eight months ago. How he gained his freedom is not known here. Rewards for his arrest aggregate $10,000.

Members of the gang who were convicted for the Albert robbery were said to have told the federal authorities that Callahan was the leader.

When Callahan was shown a photograph of himself, made at the Joliet, Ill., prison ten years ago, he admitted his identity.

MOTHERS' CONGRESS.

Woman Advocates Pensioning Widows and Deserted Mothers.

St. Louis, Mo., March 21.—Pensioning of widowed and deserted mothers, rather than the placing of their children in charitable institutions, was urged by Miss Mary S. Garrett, chairman of the department of legislation in an address before the Mothers' National congress today.

Miss Garrett, connected with the probation association and juvenile court of Philadelphia, spoke in favor of the bill for the establishment of a federal children's bureau. The measure has passed the United States senate.

In her annual report to the congress, at the business session, Mrs. Frederick Schoff of Philadelphia told of the establishment of state organizations in small states and in Cuba. The movement had received a setback in Mexico she told the delegates because of the revolution.

Preliminary steps for the admission of Missouri, with an organization of more than 1,000 members, to the national board of managers, congress of mothers, were taken at the business session.

REWARD FOR MURDERER.

State Offers $200 for Capture of James Staley.

Springfield, Ill., March 21.—Governor Deneen to day issued a proclamation offering a reward of $200 for the capture of James Staley, who on March 18, 1912, shot Matthew Monohan and his brother, Hugh Monohan, in their saloon in this city.

Matthew Monohan died from his wounds and Hugh Monohan is at the point of death with a bullet in his lung.

The coroner's jury which held an inquest over the remains of Matthew Monohan to day recommended that Staley be held to await the action of the grand jury on the charge of murder without bail.

NEGRO LYNCHED.

Cochrane, Ga., March 21.—Homer Bush, a negro convict, was lynched this afternoon after he had killed Guard Joseph Coody, aged 40, and attempted to shoot two other guards in the convict camp a mile from here.

WEATHER INDICATIONS AND TEMPERATURES.

Washington, March 21.—For Illinois: Fair Friday and Saturday; warmer Saturday.

TEMPERATURES.

Chicago, March 21.—Current, maximum and minimum temperatures today were:

Boston	22	24	20
Buffalo	18	24	14
New York	26	28	24
New Orleans	76	84	66
Chicago	26	29	20
Detroit	22	26	20
Omaha	20	22	8
St. Paul	20	24	8
Helena	34	38	12
San Francisco	60	60	52
Winnipeg	16	20	-4

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HELD BANQUET AT Y. M. C. A. BUILDING

MEMBERS OF POULTRY ASSOCIATION GATHERED ABOUT THE TABLES.

Various Speakers Gave Interesting Facts About Great and Important Industry—Poultry Plant May Be Established at Nichols Park for Educational Value.

Certainly the promoters of the Morgan County Poultry association have good reason to be well pleased with their efforts if we may judge from the success of the annual banquet Thursday evening.

The affair was in the Y. M. C. A. building and after a time enjoyed socially all were invited to the banquet hall, where an ample feast was ready for all. It was prepared by Mesdames C. B. Graff, U. J. Hale and James R. Watt of Mrs. Hardy's department of the Pastoral Helpers of the Central Christian church and served by ladies connected with the poultry association. The bill of fare was ample and excellent, most admirably served without wait or loss of time and all were finely treated throughout and abundantly satisfied.

D. T. Heimlich, so well known in poultry circles, acted as toastmaster, though another had been assigned to that duty but he was unable to be present so Mr. Heimlich performed the duties of the position most acceptably. The occasion was honored by a number of eminent poultry breeders and was an event of no small importance.

State President Spoke.

The first speaker of the evening was William Austin of Morrison, president of the state association. The gentleman said he felt like a robin they found in his yard last winter, its wings frozen so that it was unable to get about and then proceeded to show that he was badly mistaken. Of his excellent remarks and of all the others only a very brief outline is practicable.

"I especially tender my thanks to the ladies for this fine banquet which has been so onjoyable. The state association wants an auxiliary in each county and we hope all will at once go to work and organize and become affiliated with the state organization and so get pure-bred poultry on each farm in the country. It is hard to buy right and get the proper foundation for the business but when that is once accomplished the rest comes easier. Those who rear poultry merely to sell to eat hardly realize what is the value of a thoroughbred fowl. Some breed for the table, some for eggs. Eggs are the most important thing in poultry [illegible] a dollar to produce an adult fowl but they do not sell for that in the market, but eggs are much more profitable." The speaker then went on to give facts and figures in weights of eggs and other interesting data.

Hen Teaches Industry.

Rev. L. A. Engle of Carrollton, a breeder of Single Comb, White Leghorns, was next called on.

"It is especially fitting that I should be interested in this business for I take the most interest in my lay members. In my immediate vicinity the poultry business is solemn because so many of the fowls go into the ministry. There is a great discussion regarding the right angle of the tail of a White Leghorn cockerel and it will not soon be settled. We have had a fine banquet here tonight and I can certainly compliment the ladies on its preparation. When once a man gets the poultry growing fever he seldom gets over it for it is something that sticks hard. I am glad to see the interest manifested in standard bred fowls for the keep of a good one is no more than that of a scrub. The American hen teaches industry and thrift and from them the loafer may learn a valuable lesson."

Expressed Appreciation.

Rev. Clyde Darsie, pastor of the Central Christian church, spoke next.

"I know more how to exterminate fowls than how to raise them, as I have had no experience in that line. I don't know much about the correct angle of the White Leghorn cockerel's tail but I do know lots about yellow legged chickens on the table. The ladies here tonight have treated us admirably for which we are grateful. I am glad to be here and while I am no chicken fancier I do feel pleased to see the interest manifested in such a worthy object.

Chickens and the Preachers.

Rev. Walter Spoonts, pastor of the Northminster church, was next. "The chair said there were three preachers here to night. You know what the bible says, 'where the carcass is, there will the eagles be gathered,' and so where you find chickens there will you find the clergy. A good preacher was crossing a stream and dropped his teeth into the water and was unable to find them till a man came along, saw the trouble, got a rod and line, baited the hook with a piece of chicken, dropped it into the stream and soon had the preacher's lost teeth. I like the chicken business from the time of hatching till they enter the ministry. It is important to know how. At one time I tried the incubator business, but I burned it and the house too, but I persevered until I succeeded. Before I came to this place I had several strains of fine fowls, but had to give them up, as I have here no room. When we gather in ministerial associations we need for our Disciple friends some ducks, for the Methodists the yellow legs, for the Presbyterians the turkeys, for the Universalists the bologna and so on. I am glad to be here to night and enjoy this fine banquet and hope to be with you next year and help you dispose of your surplus."

Pleasure in Business.

Judge F. E. Baldwin came next. "I can't boast of twelve dozen eggs a day during the winter and am not a preacher and so should hardly be called on. A minister can always talk about anything he doesn't understand, but a lawyer is hardly so fortunate. I have been trying for years to get our state's attorney wedd, but so far it has been a failure and fear it is a hopeless task. I don't claim to know much about chickens, but am getting lots of fun out of the business anyhow."

Message From Greene County.

Mrs. Kelly, of Whitehall, secretary of the Greene County Poultry association, was next and it is with regret that the excellent remarks of that talented lady can't be given in full. She first gave a humorous account of an invitation to attend a meeting at Litchfield, being addressed as secretary of the Greene County Poultry association, "Dear Sir," and of her adventures getting there and while there. Ladies had not been wanted or expected at the banquet, but her presence made that of many more necessary and resulted in many joining the association. She told in gloling terms of her love for the noble fowl, a love which occupied her time to the exclusion of clubs, but not of temperance and church work. She said her county was prepuring for a grand exhibition and hoped it would be well patronized by people from this county. She was heard with much interest throughout.

Industry Not Overdone.

H. C. Wilhite of Greenfield, vice president of the state association, spoke next. After some well received humorous anecdotes the gentleman said in part: "It has been my pleasure to assist in the formation of many associations and we need more of them. A man at Springfield had taken the first prize at the state fair and so he invited some thirty state officials to a banquet and when asked why he had done so he replied that as he was looking at the fine fowl which won the prize, the proud bird cocked his head and seemed to say:

"'I have done my part: what are you going to do?'

"The state meeting will be in June and I want to see a large attendance and an institute conducted as well. The poultry business is here to stay. We cannot raise too much. It would take ten times as much poultry as is now raised to give each person in the country a chicken a week let alone the eggs we need. Nothing brings more certain returns. The more the subject is studied the better. Let all strive to make the Springfield meeting a success."

The gentleman read some fine poetry in closing.

Others Spoke Briefly.

Charles B. Graff was asked to speak, but remarked that his wife was the head of the poultry department and managed that and some other things about the house.

J. H. Rayhill, the newly elected secretary, said he was thankful for the honor of the office. He was glad indeed that there was some poultry not too valuable to eat. The books were open and he would be glad to take the names of all who would join the association. Several availed themselves of the opportunity.

Made Park Suggestion.

D. T. Heimlich then spoke most eloquently and pleasingly. He said there was much that was educational in the poultry business and he hoped to see a plant at Nichols park. The zoo was all right, but a poultry house would be a fine thing and he felt sure the association would be willing to aid in getting it there and stocking it. In this land there are 56 breeds of poultry and 200 of pigeons and there are more to follow. Illinois is well to the fore in this business. If possible I hope to see a fine poultry house at Nichols park and then I hope to see it well stocked. The park management will do all it can, but cannot do all and I would like to hear from the chairman of the park commission, S. W. Nichols.

Mr. Nichols said the park board would use all the means possible at its disposal, but could not supply all. The board would use every effort for the success of the enterprise and had a man on the ground who would care well for the fowls committed to his care.

Mr. Engel: When your building is ready I will send you a pen of Single Comb White Leghorns.

Mr. Wilhite: I will send you a pen of Black Langshans.

Morton Thomas: I will send you a pen of Indian Runner fawn and white ducks.

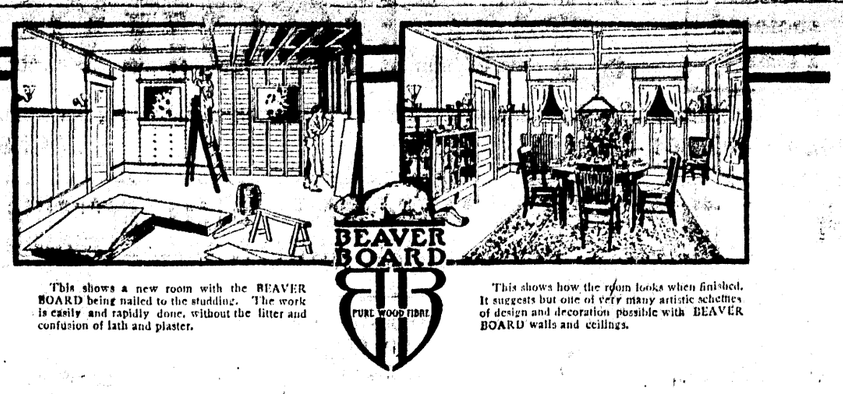
Mrs. Kelly: I will send you a pen of Rhode Island Reds.

On behalf of the park board Mr. Nichols returned his sincere thanks to the generous donors for their liberality.

The last speaker was Mr. Piper of White Hall who told of his experience and that of his neighbors in raising fine poultry.

The whole affair was a fine success.

The flowers used for decoration were kindly furnished by Heinl Brothers.



This shows a new room with the BEAVER BOARD being nailed to the studding. The work is easily and rapidly done, without the litter and confusion of lath and plaster.

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WIDOW OF SIXTY SUES BOY

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New York, March 21.—A widow 60 years old suing a youth of 19 for alleged breach of promise to marry her will appear before Justice Jaycox to plead for $10,000 damages.

Although the plaintiff has a son 20 years old, she declares emphatically that her would-be husband of 19 summers trifled with her affections. For a good many months, she asserts, he kept her from getting married to someone else, as well as refusing to marry her himself.

The widow is Mrs. Rese Cohen and Max Rosenwitz is the defendant in the action. He has filed an answer in which he not only denies that he ever promised in a serious way to marry Mrs. Cohen, but says he was too young to make a valid contract.

It was early in last May that Rosenwitz is said to have "popped the question" and received a favorable answer. Mrs. Cohen asserts that he agreed to marry her the following Christmas day. But Christmas went by and she was still a widow.

In the meantime Mrs. Cohen declares she had lent $70 to her young fiance.

After Christmas had gone by Rosenwitz came to her, she adds, and explained that he guessed he had made a mistake about his feeling for her.

"He told me," she alleges, "that he couldn't marry me, because he wanted to wait and get a rich girl for a wife. He said that just as soon as he married a rich wife he would pay back the $75."

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BIRTHDAY SOCIAL.

The ladies of the Congregational church held a birthday social Thursday afternoon at the residence of Rev. R. O. Post. The gathering included those having birthdays in February and March, and despite the bad weather a goodly number were present. Mrs. W. A. Furr read a very interesting paper and Miss Edith Robinson gave two piano selections. Among the hostesses were Mrs. R. O. Post, Mrs. W. S. Camp, Mrs. G. S. Gay, Mrs. M. H. Havenhill, Mrs. B. H. Merrill, Mrs. Allerton Palmer, Mrs. James J. Keefe and Mrs. Allen Fairbank. The gathering was interesting and profitable in every way and before adjournment was taken palatable refreshments were served.

RALPH WITHEE IS ILL.

Ralph Withee, who has returned from Ashburn, Mo., where he has been employed by John Cherry, is quite a sick man and Thursday evening he went to Passavant hospital where he will undergo an operation. Some two years ago Mr. Withee underwent an operation for appendicitis, but the wound did not heal properly and it was deemed best that he have further medical aid.

R. G. Crum of Virginia was transacting business in the city yesterday.

A. D. Gibson of Franklin precinct was transacting business in the city yesterday.

PHELPS & OSBORNE

This Is Colonial Week.

Commencing Monday Morning, Mar. 18, Ending Sat. Night, Mar. 23

THE HOME BEAUTIFUL--The real home is more than a mere shelter. An atmosphere of refinement and restfulness in a home often owes much of its charm to the abundant use of drapery fabrics. The cheerful colorings of the chintzes and the subdued tones of the tapestry effects provided by modern art at a moderate cost have an important place in the home.

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200 pairs 10 different styles Ruffled Swiss and Nottingham Curtains. Values, $1.25 to $2.00 the pair, including your choice of white enameled or brass curtain rods complete. Sale price

89c the pair

50 pairs Shadow Lace Curtains, including rods, $3.50 values, sale price

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Side Draperies

Silkolines, the colonial ones, are much used for side draperies. The 12½c qualities, Colonial Week, price

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Fancy Art Tickings & Marlboro Cretonnes

For Window Seat Coverings and Utility Boxes. There are many designs especially adapted. The 25c quality 21c; 20c quality, 17c; 15c quality, 13c.

Printed Burlaps

Are much used for box and couch coverings and home draperies. 25c value, 21c.

21c

Plain Demins

The colonial kind that stands the hard wear and effects of the sun and dust. In a great variety of colors, used for couch coverings and heavy draperies; 20c values

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Magnolia Cretonnes

Are suggestive to home beautifiers of making bags, pillows, screens, table runners, box coverings. They are made in designs and colorings to conform with various styles of interior decorations; 20c value

17c

Silks and Dress Goods

Special for Colonial Week.

27 inch Black Taffeta Silk, the 85c grade

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27 inch Figured Messaline Silk; readily sells for $1.00

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27 inch Seco Silk, 1912 colors, for Dresses, Waists and Slips and Draperies; the 25c quality

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54 inch Novelty Dress Fabrics, manish effects, $1 quality

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A Very Special Printed Ettamines

500 yards Printed Ettamine in ten different designs and colorings; a 15c quality. For Colonial Week, while they last the price is

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HAD SPINE INJURED.

Walter Fernandes of Divernon was brought to Passavant hospital Wednesday suffering from a severe injury to his spine. Mr. Fernandes was working in a coal mine at the time of the accident. Last night he was resting quietly although he is a very sick man.

THE BIRTH RECORD.

It has been learned that the child born to Mr. and Mrs. George F. Massey of Kansas City is a daughter instead of a son, as at first reported. The parents have named the baby Rachel.

Mrs. Don Nichols has returned to the city and will remain for about ten days.

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CITY AND COUNTY

SWALES, Sight Specialist, S. Main.

J. Bart Johnson has gone to Chicago on business.

Fish for the people; lake, river and ocean fish at WIDMAYER'S.

John Waters of Bluffs paid the city a business visit yesterday.

Fred Burch of Franklin was a Thursday business caller in the city.

Fresh Nut Top Chocolate sale, price only 25c pound, at Ehnie's.

Ernest Wood of Pisgah was a Thursday visitor in the city.

G. P. Wright of Beardstown was a business visitor in the city yesterday.

Get your fish today of WIDMAYER, West State St. market; best yet.

F. T. Markert of Chandlerville was a Thursday visitor in the city.

Howard Woods of Beardstown is visiting with friends in the city.

Charles Burch of Franklin made a tri pto the city yesterday.

Joy Staples, manager for the Illinois Telephone company at Woodson, was in the city Thursday on business.

FENCE POSTS! 7-foot steel line posts, 30c each at Gay's RELIABLE HARDWARE.

Miss Alice Goff is now office clerk at Barr's laundry, Mrs. F. C. Shelburn, who was formerly in the office, is acting as collector.

Mrs. G. W. Samples has gone to Waverly to visit with her mother, Mrs. Joseph Nunnelley.

George Stice of Sinclair was transacting business in the city Thursday.

Fish are good and better if bought today of WIDMAYER; fresh and fine

William Petefish was a business visitor in the city Thursday from Literberry.

Samuel Hodgson of Murrayville was in the city Thursday on business.

Miss Etta Massey of Kane, Ill., is visiting her aunt, Mrs. S. Carky, on South Prairie street.

Dr. E. H. Metcalf of Franklin was in the city Thursday on business.

Fresh Nut Top Chocolate sale, price only 25c pound, at Ehnie's.

M. G. Seymour was a representative of Franklin precinct in the city yesterday.

Charles Strawn of Alexander was one of the arrivals in the city yesterday.

Get fish for Friday's dinner of WIDMAYER; lake, river and seafish

Charles Baker, a well known resident of Pisgah, was in the city yesterday.

John Snyder was one of the residents of Alexander who visited the city yesterday.

Mrs. W. L. Moore of Bloomington enjoyed a visit yesterday with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Ward, of this city.

Fresh Nut Top Chocolate sale, price only 25c pound, at Ehnie's.

Charles V. Cox of Orleans was transacting business in the city yesterday.

Rev. Father E. A. Maguire was among the visitors in the city yesterday from Murrayville.

Mrs. M. Louise Hutchison of Virginia was a visitor in the city yesterday.

R. E. Timberman, who has been visiting with friends in the city, has returned to his home in Albia, Iowa.

Attorney Coumbs of Carthage was a business caller in Jacksonville yesterday.

Chas. Chapman of Manchester was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Fred Wessel of Beardstown was transacting business in the city yesterday.

William Diggins of Concord was a Thursday business visitor in Jacksonville.

Thomas Murphy was among the visitors in the city Thursday from Concord.

Mr. and Mrs. D. C. Pogue of Roodhouse were among the visitors in the city yesterday.

Tarlow Pratt of Joy Prairie was transacting onsiness in the city yesterday.

AMERICAN FENCE—See the NEW American with heavier stays; no extra charge. Gay's Reliable Hardware.

Seth Adkinson of Roseville, Ill., is visiting his brother, Orville Adkinson, on the corner of West College and South Diamond street.

Major E. C. Vickery and wife are enjoying a visit with friends and relatives in Chicago.

Edward Reisch of New Berlin was in the city yesterday for the purpose of attending the funeral of Mrs. Matthew Minter.

J. G. Dowel of Franklin was in the city yesterday on business.

F. G. Ryman of Kansas is in the city called here by the death and funeral of his mother.

W. J. Barnes of Springfield was attending to matters of business in the city yesterday.

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A. L. Hecker of Decatur was calling on Jacksonville business men yesterday.

John Vieira of White Hall was calling on Jacksonville friends and relatives yesterday.

John Waters of Beardstown was attending to business in the city yesterday.

Edward Shiloh of Decatur was a business caller on Jacksonville people yesterday.

Owen Graff expected to go to Arenzville today for a visit with friends in Cass county.

Mrs. George Snyder, Sr., of Alexander went to Franklin Thursday to see her daughter-in-law, Mrs. James Snyder, who is quite ill.

POULTRY FENCE! The New American poultry fence turns small chicks and is heavy enough to turn stock. Gay's Reliable Hardware.

Meredosia Monitor: Mrs. E. P. Heck of Jacksonville came down from Jacksonville Monday evening to spend a few days with her mother, Mrs. Sarah Crawford, who is on the sick list.

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NOTICE OF COLOR OF BALLOTS

Announcement is hereby made that the colors for the primary ballots to be used by the respective parties at a primary election to be held on the 9th day of April A. D. 1912, in the county of Morgan will be as follows:

Republican patry, canary; Democratic party, pink; Prohibition party, Green; Socialist party, blue.

Dated the 18th day of March, A. D 1912.

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Fancy White Marquisettes at ..... 45c yd
Plain White Soisette priced at ..... 25c yd
Plain White Sherrette ..... 25c and 35c yd
Fancy White Sherrette at ..... 25c yd
Plain White Flaxon from ..... 15c to 35c yd

Fancy White Flaxon at ..... 25c yd
Plain White Bengaline for ..... 30c yd
White Irish Poplin for ..... 25c yd
White Pearline Lawns ..... 40c to 50c yd
White Durbar Linen for ..... 29c yd
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Warp Welt Piques at ..... 25c to 35c yd

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IN INTEREST OF PUBLIC HEALTH

Dr. Mazyck P. Ravenal Delivers Splendid Address at High School Under Auspices of Morgan County Medical Society.

In spite of the inclemency of the weather a splendid audience assembled Thursday night in the auditorium of the high school and heard an excellent address by Dr. Mazyck P. Ravenal, director of the Wisconsin State Hygienic laboratory. The lecture was illustrated by stereopticon views and related to public health, dealing principally with the causes of tuberculosis and public means of preventing further spread of the disease. Dr. Ravenal spoke under the auspices of the Morgan County Medical society and preceding the lecture a dinner was given in his honor at the Dunlap house.

Hon. Andrew Russel was introduced by Dr. Edward Bowe, president of the society, as chairman of the evening, and he in turn presented the speaker. Before doin so, however, he announced a selection by the orchestra from the State School for the Blind, which was excellently rendered and greatly enjoyed.

Dr. Ravenal lamented the indifference of the state legislature in the campaign against tuberculosis. He pointed out facts to show that many more persons die annually from this disease than from typhoid fever, diphtheria, etc., and yet the state and the public do not take the same precautions against it. "Tuberculosis is no longer a doctor's disease," he said, "but a social disease and society must contend with it." The speaker also took up the matter of bovine tuberculosis, showing that a large per cent of the disease was contracted from the milk of infected cows.

"No nation has ever been great which has not looked to the health of its people," Dr. Ravenal said in beginning his lecture. "Public health is a public duty. The preservation of health is primarily a duty to your community and your country—a patriotic duty." Continuing he said:

"Be generous with everything except your diseases. Tuberculosis is a disease, which will spread rapidly if precautions are not taken. Through the American habit of spitting, numerous germs are spread abroad. It is estimated that a moderately advanced consumptive patient will throw out from three to four billion germs in twenty-four hours. Of course many of these die without doing injury but on the other hand many are taken up by other persons, who in this way contract the disease. Tuberculosis is not hereditary but it passes through families. The parent conveys the disease to its children through direct contact.

"Tuberculosis is also in many cases transmitted from cattle to man. In 1901 Dr. Koch, the German scientist, came out with the startling announcement that tuberculosis in cattle and tuberculosis in man were entirely different diseases. The German government immediately appointed an imperial commission and England a royal commission, composed of the prominent scientists and physicians of the two countries, and both bodies studied the diseases thoroughly. The German commission found that in children 21 out of 84 deaths from tuberculosis were the result of the bovine disease. The English commission examined a large number of cases and its figures corresponded with those given above. In the city ofNew York, taking all figures, it was found that few grown people were infected with the bovine germ, but the disease was in children, who had fed almost exclusively upon cow's milk. Germany and England are the only two governments in the world which have had backbone enough to start an investigation.

"Statistics show that this is a great question and one worth of the most serious attention. I contend, however, that if only 1 in every 1,000 dies from tuberculosis, we have a right to demand the health authorities to protect that child. It should be made possible in your state for the public to protect itself against bovine tuberculosis. I've never heard anyone say it is not necessary to be precautions against diptheria or typhoid fever, yet it does not cause nearly the number of deaths that tuberculosis does.

"Sanitarians are in the habit of estimating the health of the county by the typhoid fever existing. Why not by tuberculosis? This is no longer a doctor's question, but it is one for the public. Tuberculosis is the cause of poverty. See the large number of bread winners, who die annually from this diseases, and the number of children left orphans. The question of crime also enters here. Tuberculosis has an influence toward degradation and crime."

The speaker also referred to the small amount of money expended to stamp out the disease and at the same time the loss to the community in dollars and cents through deaths from this disease. He pointed out that 330 millions of dollars were lost last year through tuberculosis and that the question was one to be considered, not only from a humanitarian standpoint, but also from a financial view. The stereopticon views helped to emphasize the points so forcefully presented by the speaker and the lecture in every way was a most excellent one and was thoroughly appreciated by the audience.

At the conclusion of the address several were called upon to take part in a discussion. Brief remarks were made by Prof. W. O. Beal of Illinois college, Supt. W. A. Furr and Supt. Woolston of the State School for the Blind.

SEWING CLUB ENTERTAINED.

The members of the Old Ladies' Sewing club of Alexander were entertained Thursday at the home of Mrs. Margaret Colwell. The hours were passed in a delightful social manner and elegant refreshments were served.

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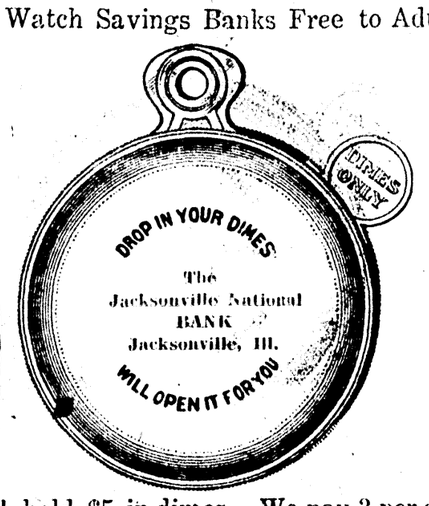

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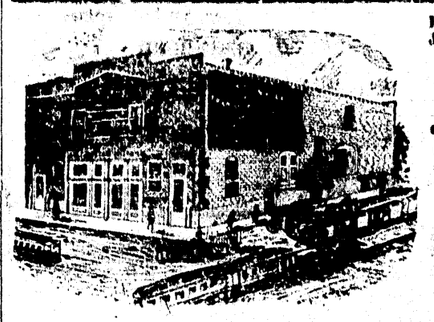

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HIS MEMORY CLEAR.

The Witness Proved to the Lawyer That He Could Remember.

A story is told of an eminent lawyer receiving a severe reprimand from a witness whom he was trying to browbeat. It was an important issue, and in order to save his cause from defeat it was necessary that the lawyer should impeach the witness. He endeavored to do it on the ground of age in the following manner:

"How old are you?" asked the lawyer.

"Seventy-two years," replied the witness.

"Your memory, of course, is not so brilliant and vivid as it was twenty years ago, is it?" asked the lawyer.

"I do not know but it is," answered the witness.

"State some circumstance which occurred, say, twelve years ago," said the lawyer, "and we shall be able to see how well you can remember."

"I appeal to your honor," said the witness, "if I am to be interrogated in this manner it is insolent!"

"You had better answer the question," replied the judge.

"Yes, sir; state it," said the lawyer.

"Well, sir, if you compel me to do it I will. About twelve years ago you studied in Judge ——'s office, did you not?"

"Yes," answered the lawyer.

"Well, sir, I remember your father coming into my office and saying to me, 'Mr. D., my son is to be examined tomorrow, and I wish you would lend me $15 to buy him a suit of clothes.' I remember also, sir, that from that day to this he has never paid me that sum. That, sir, I remember as though it were yesterday."

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MUCH DAMAGE IS WROUGHT BY STORM

Loss to City, Telephone Companies and Street Railway Will Probably Reach $20,000—Coating of Ice Greatest Seen in Years.

The full extent of the damage done by the recent storm is hard to estimate. The loss to the telephone companies, the street railway and the city will probably reach $20,000. Manager Howells of the Central Union Telephone company said Thursday that he believed that the damage done to the two telephone companies, the city lighting system and the street railway would reach $15,000 and probably the amount stated above. In speaking of the storm, generally, he said that he had never seen such a heavy coating of ice, it being more than an inch thick on some of the wires. This threw a great weight on the poles and the damage done to the lines is immense. Mr. Howells said that on South Main street, as far south as could be seen from the city every pole was down. A gang of repair men was sent out from here yesterday morning and will work on to Carrollton. They will meet another gang working this way from Edwardsville. On North Main street, near the Burlington bridge, twelve poles were found in the waters of the Mauvaisterre.

The direct line of the Bell company, from this city to Springfield is expected to be in shape again this morning, as the damage in that direction was not so extensive, owing to the fact that the line was only recently rebuilt and most of the poles were new and strong. The Bell company got service through to Springfield Thursday by way of Litcherry and Virginia.

So far as the city's loss is concerned, Commissioner C. W. Brown estimates that the expense in repairing will amount to $1,000. In most instances on poles carrying city, gas company and telephone wires, the city's wires are highest up and they were, therefore, damaged the most.

The lines of the Illinois Telephone company were also badly crippled all over the city and a gang of men was set at work Thursday. Also a large number of poles are down in the country, which will have to be put in place again. Manager Holliday, yesterday, was unable to give any accurate figures on the damage done to the Illinois company.

It was between 9 and 10 o'clock before the street cars were started on West State street, although they were going earlier on South Main and East State streets. A large number of limbs from trees fell across the tracks. In many cases, however, the trolley was not broken and it was simply a matter of relieving the wires. J. P. Doan, the superintendent, thought that the railway company's loss would be comparatively small, that $200 would cover the entire expenses of the railway and light company.

Walked Through Storm.

D. E. Boxell, who resides at 610 West State street, arrived home Thursday morning and in his efforts to get back to the city had some unpleasant experiences on account of the storm. He was in Nilwood Wednesday afternoon and wanted to get to Girard, five miles away, so as to take the C. & A. for Springfield. The liveryman at Nilwood absolutely refused to take his horses out in such a storm and over the rough roads and Mr. Boxell decided to walk the distance. The liveryman, however, was not so careful of himself as of his horse and consented to walk with Mr. Boxell and assist him in carrying his grips. The two found it hard going, but they reached Girard and Mr. Boxell took the train to Springfield. There were so many wires and poles down along the railroad that the train moved without telegraph orders and was three hours and a half in getting to the capital city from Girard. The double track was made use of in avoiding the wires and poles and the flagman was constantly on the rear end of the train, at each mile or two flashing the signal to the next succeeding train.

Don't forget to attend the horse and mule sale of Ade Arnold's, on West Court St., Saturday, Feb. 23.

ATTENTION, R. A. M.

Jacksonville Chapter No. 3, R. A. M., will hold a special convocation tonight beginning at 5 o'clock when the mark and past master degrees will be conferred. Supper at 6 o'clock.

By order of
Jos. L. Whittaker,
Acting H. P.

R. I. Dunlap,
Secretary.

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His Suspicion.

"Well, whaddy you want?"

"I am the man who was married in the cage of wildcats."

"I asted ye whaddy you want."

"I thought I would like to look into the cage again. I fear I left my wife there and took one of the wildcats."—Houston Post.

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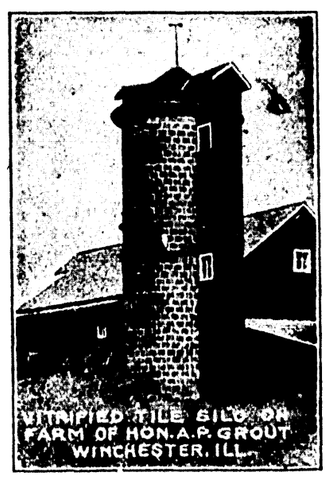

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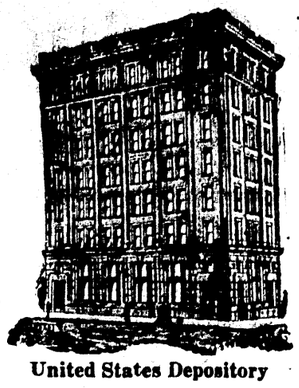

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WINCHESTER.

Mrs. O. Dawson has returned from a visit in Jacksonville.

Charles Condit and wife went to St. Louis Wednesday on business.

Mrs. Harvey Allen left Wednesday for a visit in Jacksonville.

Judge Funk visited in Bluffs Wednesday.

Supper—March 28.

Miss Lizzie North left Wednesday for a visit in Jacksonville.

Mrs. Voglehund and daughters went to Canton Wednesday to visit.

Mrs. I. G. Adams is reported as ill this week.

Tuesday spring was spring; Wednesday winter begun.

Send me your subscription for the Journal. Stanley C. Dixon, Winchester, Ill.

MATINEE SCHEDULE.

The New Berlin Driving club has adopted the following schedule for the matinee events to be given this season.

Wednesday, May 22.
Wednesday, June 5.
Wednesday, June 19.
Thursday, July 4.
Wednesday, July 17.
Wednesday, July 31.
Wednesday, Aug. 14.
Wednesday, Aug. 28.
Wednesday, Sept. 11.
Wednesday, Sept. 25.
J. A. Wirtz, president.
J. W. Sullivan, treasurer.
L. Fahy, secretary.

WILL TALK ABOUT ROADS.

Something new in the matter of creating an interest in road district affairs has been inaugurated by A. L. French of the Farmers State Bank & Trust Co., who is a commissioner in road district No. 4. Mr. French has issued a call for a mass meeting of the residents of the south division of his district to be held in the town hall at Chapin Monday, March 25, at 1:30 o'clock. The purpose of this meeting is to receive a financial statement of the district and to discuss ways and means for expending the money on hand in a way calculated to secure the best results. It is doubtless the purpose of Mr. French to create a wider interest in the affairs of the district by co-operation to secure the very best results in the matter of road improvement.

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HEARD IN RECITAL

William Preston Phillips, Baritone, Gives Superb Program at Illinois Woman's College.

Despite the inclement weather Music hall at Illinois Woman's college was completely filled Thursday night by friends to hear the voice recital by William Preston Phillips. Mr. Phillips has been suffering from a severe cold, which necessitated the postponement of his concert from last week.

Mr. Phillips' program consisted of songs from the Italian, French, German and English and gave him a wide range to display the splendid qualities of his voice. His first selection "Tu se Morta," was from the first opera ever written and the legato work was especially noticable and well done. The "Le Jet d'Eau," by Debussy, was especially difficult from a harmonic standpoint and this was cleverly interpreted, while the singer was given an opportunity to reveal his tone volume in the "Le Manoir de Rosemonde." The German group was most pleasing and the tremendous climax in the "Im Herbst," by Franz, was brilliantly reached.

The audience found room for sincere applause in the Airs from the opera "Natoma." This was the first successful American opera written by Herbert. "The Witch Ladye" was written by Anna Wakely Jackson of this city and was a pleasing number. One of the heavy selections of the program was "Edward," by Loewe and its every demand was artistically met. For an encore at the end of the program "Prithee, Why?" by Woodman, was given.

Mr. Phillips has been heard so often with pleasure and so greatly appreciated by Jacksonville music lovers that further comment seems unnecessary. He is a musician of sterling gifts, honest artistic tone production, intelligence and feeling and never fails to impress his audience of the wonderful grasp he has upon the human voice. The audience was liberal with applause last night and most receptive.

The program was given an added artistic touch by the splendid accompaniment by Miss Louise D. Miller, who is especially gifted in this work.

The following was the program:

Tu se Morta, "Orfeo," (1607) . . . . . Monteverde
Come Raggio di Sol . . . . . Caldara
Prologo, "Pagliacci" . . . Leoncavallo
Les Angelus . . . . . Debussy
Le Jet d'Eau . . . . . Debussy
Le Manoir de Rosemonde . . Dupare
Brindisi, "Jolie Fille de Perth" . . . . . Bizet
Margarethens Wiegenlied . . . Grieg
Die Prinzessin . . . . . Grieg
Staendchen . . . . . Schubert
Im Herbst . . . . . Franz

Two old English songs:
Ah, Willow, composer unknown.
The Pretty, Pretty Creature. Storace

Two Airs from "Natoma":
Serenade . . . . . Herbert
Vaquero's Song . . . . . Herbert
The Witch Ladye . . . . . Jackson
Edward . . . . . Loewe
When Shadows Gather . . . . Marshall

TELEGRAM BY EXPRESS.

The severe storm put the various transportation companies to their wits ends to find a way to conduct business. Dr. E. L. Crouch was surprised Thursday to receive a telegram from St. Louis by express. The message got as far as Springfield over the wire, but the wires into Jacksonville were out, so the Western Union in Springfield had the message expressed via the Wabash railroad and it arrived here after the afternoon mail had left the postoffice, a fact which the telegraph company had ciphered out, else it might have been sent by mail.

BIRTHDAY SURPRISE.

Forty of Miss Iva Mason's friends gave her a happy surprise at her home on Kent street Wednesday evening. It was the birthday of Miss Kent and her friends took this method of helping her celebrate the occasion. All went with well filled baskets and the many good things to eat were thoroughly enjoyed. Miss Iva was also kindly remembered by a number of pretty presents and the occasion was pleasant in every way.

PROBATE COURT.

Estate of Peter Tendick, deceased. Report of sale of real estate approved. Thomas Irlam, executor.

DEATHS AND FUNERALS

Goveia.

Brief mention was made Thursday of the death of Manuel Goveia, which took place Wednesday afternoon at 3:10 o'clock. Mr. Goveia was born in the Island of Madeira Nov. 22, 1826, and was therefore 85 years, 3 months and 29 days of age. Nov. 25, 1848, he was married to Miss Annie Correa, in the West Indies Islands where they had both fled because of religious persecution. After a short residence there they determined to come to this country with its many opportunities for advancement and betterment. They settled in this county and for a good many years the family home was on a farm north of the city. By strict industry and good management Mr. Goveia prospered and he and his wife raised a large family, whose members all felt the influence of a good home. They were the parents of twelve children, one of whom died in infancy and another, Mrs. Mary DeFreitas passed away two years since. The others are: John, of Lynnville; Mrs. Ellen Smith, of Virginia; Samuel, of Chicago; Mrs. Lizzie King of this city; George, of the Arcadia precinct; Mrs. Carrie Estaque, of Springfield; Joseph, Frank A. and Mrs. Annie Baptist of this city, and Mrs. Sophia Oliver of Aurora. In addition to these there are over 60 grandchildren and great grandchildren.

Mrs. Goveia died March 8, 1898, and later Mr. Goveia was married to Mrs. Mary Almada of Springfield, who survives him.

For a great many years Mr. Goveia had been a member of Northminster church and he was a man of strong Christian character. He practiced his religion in his daily life and and all those who came into contact with him admired and respected him. Honesty and integrity marked his conduct and to his children he has left the priceless heritage of a good name. His long life has been one of great usefulness and although for a number of years he has been retired from active work he has still kept a wide influence for good.

The funeral will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock at Northminster church and interment will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

Minter.

The funeral of Mrs. Matthew Minter was held at 2:30 o'clock Thursday afternoon from the residence, 607 East College avenue, when a large gathering of relatives and friends assembled to pay a last tribute of respect to one who will be greatly missed from the community. The services were impressively conducted by Rev. F. A. McCarty, pastor of Centenary M. E. church, who paid a beautiful and fitting tribute to the Christian life of the deceased, and the singing was by a quartet composed of Mrs. Loren Cannon, Miss Clara Ranson, Albert C. Metcalf and W. W. Gillham.

The flowers were many and beautiful and were kindly cared for by Miss Sarah Kershaw, Miss Ethel Tefft, Miss Fern Haigh, Mrs. Lottie Darst, Mrs. E. H. Wyatt and Miss Flora Lomb.

Interment was in Jacksonville cemetery and the bearers were E. E. Kinney, F. E. McDougall, John W. Rawlings, Thomas Martin, E. E. McPhail and George Brown. At the cemetery the service was in charge of the Rebekah lodge No. 13. Mrs. C. O. Bayha acted as noble grand, Mrs. George Selgfried as vice-grand and Miss Minnie Alkire as chaplain. A quartet, composed of the Misses McPhail, Rev. F. A. McCarty and W. W. Gillham, sang at the grave.

Fritt.

Mrs. John Morrisey of South Diamond street received a telegram yesterday from Billings, Mont., announcing the sudden death of her brother-in-law, David Fritt. The deceased was known to a number of Jacksonville people who will regret to learn of his death.

O'Brien.

John O'Brien, who has been a patient at Our Savior's hospital since Sunday, suffering with pneumonia, died Thursday at 10:05 o'clock. He is survived by his wife.

The remains were taken to the O'Donnell undertaking establishment to be prepared for burial.

Samples.

Henry Jackson, who is living with his son, Arthur Jackson on North Prairie street, was notified Thursday of the death of his sister, Mrs. Charles Samples, at her home in New Berlin. Mrs. Samples was 87 years of age and was known to many people here, as the family lived in Morgan county for many years. The message announcing the death came to Mrs. Albert Sieber of North Prairie street, a daughter of Mr. Jackson.

Interment will be here in Jacksonville cemetery and announcement of the funeral will be made tomorrow.

Our Millinery prices have created such a furore among our competitors that one lady who came here said that a certain dealer in millinery told her he was almost sure we must have stolen our millinery, or we couldn't sell them so cheap. That should not bother you, however.

THE EMPORIUM.

IN HONOR OF BIRTHDAY.

Mary Floreth, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. William Floreth, celebrated her birthday yesterday. A number of her friends were invited and the afternoon was spent in a pleasant way by various games. Mary received a number of nice presents. During the afternoon light refreshments were served.

NO R. F. D. THURSDAY.

The heavy sleet made it impossible for the rural mail carriers to make their routes Thursday. They didn't get in Wednesday night until 8 o'clock and two of the carriers remained in the country over night.

BIG BLUE ROCK SHOOT.

At Concord Saturday afternoon. Liberal cash prizes. Everybody invited.

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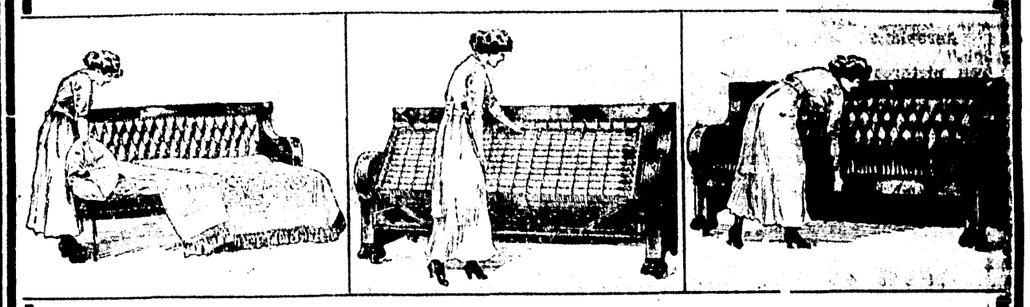

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SOCIAL EVENTS.

Mrs. Harry Harmon Taylor gave a company Thursday afternoon at the Peacock Inn, with Miss Mary Masters, who is to wed Dr. John Ray Newcomb April 11, as the guest of honor. Notwithstanding the very unfavorable weather conditions there were no regrets and the after noon proved one of especial social interest. Mrs. Taylor, Miss Masters, Mrs. William D. Alexander, Mrs. S. Davis Masters and Mrs. A. M. Masters received and assisting were the ladies who are entertaining in honor of Miss Masters. The invitations mentioned "program," but the guests were left in doubt as to the exact meaning of that word until little Florence Leonard Masters and Eleanor Masters distributed the programs, which bore this legend: "Masters-Newcomb-March 21st-April 11th, 1912; Peacock Inn in Honor of Miss Masters; Mrs. Taylor presents Motion Pictures: Panama—Edison; Seeing Indianapolis—Selig; An Aeroplane Elopement—Vitagraph."

The pictures were put on by Thomas Scott, the apparatus coming from his theater. The themes had been chosen with a special view as to their appropriateness, for it is said that the Masters-Newcomb wedding journey will include Panama, and the home later to be established will be in Indianapolis. The aeroplane elopment was a suggestion. During the afternoon the Peacock Inn orchestra furnished music and an excellent buffet lunch was served at 4:30 o'clock. The party was a marked success and quite different from any social affair ever before given in Jacksonville.

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The "good of the order" committee of Fidelity council, No. 269, M. P. L., gave a dance Thursday night in the lodge hall. The affair was a success in every particular and the sixty couples present enjoyed themselves to the fullest. Music was furnished by the M. P. L. orchestra. The committee in charge was composed of Mrs. Fannie Garrison, Miss Laura Black and Mrs. John McKenna.

Mrs. George E. Mathews and Mrs. Isaac Powers have issued cards for a bridge party to be given next Thursday afternoon at their home on Webster avenue in honor of Miss Mary Masters.

The Domestic Science Round Table will meet Saturday, March 23, at 3 p. m. with Mrs. W. W. Gillham, 930 West State street. Miss Anna G. Brown, director of manual training in the Jacksonville high school, will discuss "Wood and Wood Finishes."

Beautiful new Coats, Suits and Dresses for women and misses. We carry more ready to wear garments than all others combined. We are busy as bees nowadays. There must be a reason. We can't complain of dullness. Our business is far in excess of what we did a year ago. If you can't find what you want elsewhere, then try us.

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The great millinery and ready to wear establishment of J. Herman is now ready to take your order for Easter goods.

MATRIMONIAL RECORD

Gibbs-Henry.

The DeKalb County (Mo.) Herald—At the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. S. E. Henry, south of Maysville, at 2:30 p. m. on Tuesday was solemnized the marriage of Etta M. Henry and Ellsworth Chase Gibbs of Jacksonville, Ill. Owing to the illness of the bride's mother a very quiet home wedding was had, with only the immediate relatives present. Miss Esther Cox presided at the piano and to the strains of Mendelssohn's "Spring Song" the bridal party marched down the stairs and into the parlor, where they were met by T. P. Middleton, minister for the Maysville M. E. Church South, who performed a most beautiful and impressive ceremony.

The bride was charming in a dainty white lingerie gown and carried an armful of bride's roses. Etta is the fourth daughter of S. E. Henry and wife and has grown to a beautiful womanhood in this community. She is an accomplished young lady and has an unusually sweet and happy disposition.

Ellsworth Chase Gibbs is well known in St. Joseph, where he held a position for several years and comes with the very highest recommendations to claim his bride.

Elegant refreshments were served by the sisters of the bride, with Finley Scott presiding in the kitchen. Many beautiful and valuable presents were received, including table linen, silverware, china and furniture.

The young couple left immediately after the ceremony for Stewartsville for a short visit with R. L. Henry, and will go at once to their new home near Jacksonville, Ill. Out of town guests included Mr. and Mrs. Charles Gibbs of Jacksonville, Ill., parents of the groom.

This occasion was made all the more significant by reason of the fact that it was the fortieth wedding anniversary of the bride's parents.

Williams-Benson.

The marriage of Hershel Williams and Miss Nellie Benson, both of Winchester, took place Thursday at 7:30 p. m., Rev. L. G. Adams of the M. E. church officiating, the ceremony being witnessed by a few intimate friends of the bride and groom. Both come from well known families. They will reside on a farm owned by Irwin Coultas north of Winchester.

Our Millinery is fresh new styles and you will find thousands of Spring Hats to please you. Some dealers take their old hats and fix them up for new and sell them with pride. We haven't any old junk, so we can't offer it. Today we received a new line of Sailors and Derby effects in all colors, $1.98, here.

THE EMPORIUM.

FOR RHEUMATISM

George W. Koons, Lawton, Mich., says: "Dr. Detchon's Relief for Rheumatism has given my wife wonderful benefit for rheumatism. She could not lift hand or foot, had to be lifted for two months. She began the use of the remedy and improved rapidly. On Monday she could not move and on Wednesday she got up, dressed herself and walked out for breakfast. Sold by L. P. Allcott, druggist.

Samuel Govela is here from Chicago to attend the funeral of his father, Manuel Govela.

REAL ESTATE TRANSFERS.

J. B. Stewart to J. A. Pugh, lots 13, etc., Mound Heights; $1.

SALVATION ARMY.

Is Making Plans for Commencement Week.

The Salvation Army has arranged the week of self-denial to take place commencing Sunday, March 31, to April 7. This effort is an annual one, and has become familiar to all classes and creeds, receiving support from all classes. During the week there will be special exercises of the self-denial spirit. Funds raised by this method help to develop the work at home and abroad. The influence of the Salvation Army as a power for good, particularly among the deserving poor is great. In addition to open air work the officers spend hours each day in visiting the sick and in every sense demonstrating the spirit of Jesus Christ, who went about doing good. The missionary spirit and zeal demonstrated by the army after years shows no abatement. Plans are now under way for the extension of Salvation Army operations in a number of new fields and it has just entered Cuba.

WITH THE SICK

James Shields of East Lafayette avenue, who has been sick for some time with tonsilitis, is now improving.

Mrs. Edward Henry of East St. Louis, who is visiting at the home of her sister, Mrs. George W. Scott, is reported ill.

Mrs. C. L. Degen was taken to Our Savior's hospital Thursday afternoon where she is threatened with pneumonia.

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FUNERAL NOTICE.

The funeral of Manuel Govela will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon from Northminster Presbyterian church, in charge of Rev. Walter E. Spoonts. Interment will be in Jacksonville cemetery.

ANNOUNCEMENT

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for member of the board of education in the fourth ward, subject to the decision of the Republican primary.

George S. Rogerson.

GRADUATES AT MEREDOSIA.

Five will graduate from the Meredosia high school this year as follows: Misses Gladys Galloway, Nellie Starks, Dora Kappal, Leta Schaefer and Ethel Dierman.

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J. HERMAN.

SOME FACTS ABOUT WEATHER

C. C. Phelps Has Kept a Daily Record for Thirty Years—No More Snow Thursday Than on Same Date Some Other Years.

C. C. Phelps, who has been in business here since 1881, has kept a daily weather record since Oct. 27, 1882. At that time Mr. Phelps began to jot down each day in the sales book at the Phelps & Osborne store the temperature or some fact about the weather, just as a matter of value or information in comparing the sales on the same dates in various years. For example, the first four entries he made in October, 1882, were these: Oct. 27, very hot all day; Oct. 28, rain all day; Oct. 30, warm all day; Oct. 31, very hot all day.

With passing time Mr. Phelps came to put down facts other than those relating to the weather and so deaths of various persons were chronicled as well as great fires and the visits to Jacksonville of prominent personages. Altogether Mr. Phelps without having any particular intention in that line has compiled a valuable diary of some local history. The weather facts he has put down are of special interest because only during comparatively recent years have the weather records been kept, that is since G. H. Hall of Alexander became a government weather observer.

Many people yesterday in commenting on the weather said that never in their memory had there been snow on the ground March 21st, but these statements are proved how uncertain people's weather memories are unless backed up with some written evidence. When Mr. Phelps was asked yesterday for his weather records as related to March 21st, the notations for only thirteen years were accessible and they show that twice even during that period there has been snow on the ground on the "first day of spring." Here are the March 21 records:

1883—Clear and cold.
1884—Cloudy and misty.
1885—Clear and cold.
1886—Six inches snow.
1887—Rain all day.
1888—Rain all 9eiD i.oi.WENso
1888—Clear and cold.
1889—Warm and clear.
1890—Warm and clear.
1891—Light rain.
1892—Four inches snow.
1893—Clear until 4:30; rain.
1894—Clear; warm rain at night.
1895—Warm and clear.

TYPEWRITER FOR SALE.

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Don't forget to attend the horse and mule sale of Ade Arnold's, on West Court St., Saturday, Feb. 23.

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Here's News—

Big News for Every

Single Home, and Home that's Soon to be, in Jacksonville.

¶ The home—your home—for some time has needed new things.
¶ Perhaps for many months "a home of their own" has been the thought of many a newly married pair.
¶ Why have you waited? Why deny **your** home needed comforts, or yourselves a needed home?
¶ You need wait no longer. Bring the home's wants—the home wants--to this store. The goods—the prices--the easy payments—will bring, in pleasing, satisfying reality all that YOUR HOME needs.
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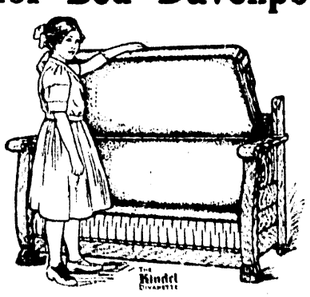

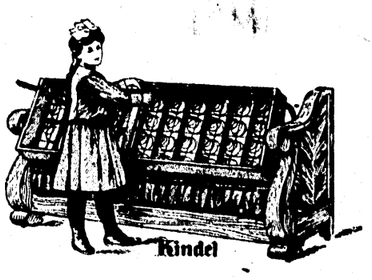

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GOES TO JURY THIS AFTERNOON

END OF TRIAL OF PACKERS IN SIGHT.

Defense Closed Case Yesterday and Prosecution Will Finish Today—Facts About the Noted Case.

Chicago, March 21.—The case of the ten Chicago meat packers, who have been on trial since December 6 before United States District Judge Carpenter, charged with criminal violation of the Sherman law, is scheduled to go to the jury tomorrow afternoon. The defense closed its case this afternoon with final arguments to the jury.

Tomorrow morning the prosecution will close the case for the government, Judge Carpenter is then to instruct the jury regarding the law in the case, and the jurors will retire to consider a verdict.

Chicago, March 21.—The trial of the ten Chicago packers on charges of conspiracy in maintaining a combination in restraint of trade in violation of the criminal provisions of the Sherman anti-trust law, which began December 6, is the closing chapter of a long legal battle waged by the government against the big packers.

The heads of the packing companies in the proceedings are named as individual defendants and a verdict of guilty under the law would make them liable to either a fine of $5,000 each, or imprisonment for one year or both penalties. The ten defendants are:

J. Ogden Armour, president of Armour and company.

Arthur Meeker, director and general manager Armour and company.

Thomas J. Connors, director and general superintendent Armour and company.

Louis F. Swift, president Swift and company.

Edward F. Swift, vice president Swift and company.

Charles H. Swift, director Swift and company.

Francis A. Fowler, manager beef department Swift and company.

Edward Morris, president Morris and company.

Louis H. Heyman, manager beef department Morris and company.

Edward Tilden, president National Packing company.

The government contends:

That prior to 1902 prices were fixed, shipments regulated and territory divided by the old beef pool which met every Tuesday afternoon.

That after the old beef pool dissolved in 1902 the packers held secret meetings at each other's homes.

That the National Packing company, since its organization in 1903, has been used as the "clearing house for the alleged combination.

That the packers adopted a test cost and margin system, which was used in the purchase of cattle and the sale of fresh meat.

That the allowances made for by-products in figuring the test cost were inadequate and the "cost" used by the packers was fictitious and higher than the actual cost.

That the representatives of the different companies in New York, Boston and other eastern cities exchanged information in regard to prices and shipments and telegraphed the figures to their superiors in Chicago.

That the violation of the Sherman law by the packers has been continuous and practically uninterrupted since 1898.

A chronoligical history of the government's investigation and prosecution of the men alleged to control the fresh meat industry of the country is as follows:

July 1, 1903—Injunction issued by Judge Grosscup restraining the packers from entering into a combination.

Feb. 20, 1905—Investigation of alleged combination begun.

July 1, 1905—Sixteen packers and four corporations indicted.

Dec. 31, 1905—Cases called for trial.

March 21, 1906—Judge Humphreys renders the "immunity bath" decision, freeing the indicted packers.

Dec. 20, 1908—Investigation taken up by federal grand jury, but soon discontinued without indictments being returned.

Dec. 15, 1909—Investigation resumed by the federal grand jury.

March 21, 1910—Indictments returned against the National Packing company and ten subsidiary concerns and bill in equity filed asking that the National Packing company be dissolved.

June 24, 1910.—Indictments against the National Packing company quashed by Judge Landis and a special grand jury called to renew the investigation.

July 14, 1910—Special grand jury impanelled and inquiry begun.

Aug. 11, 1910—Thomas G. Lee, manager of the dressed beef sales department of Armour & Co. indicted for perjury and Alfred R. Urion, chief counsel for the company, and three employes charged with destroying stenographers notebooks containing important information desired by the government.

Aug. 15, 1910—Attorney Urion discharged with a reprimand and the other respondents held for further hearing.

Sept. 12, 1910—Indictments returned charging ten packers with conspiracy in maintaining a combination in restraint of trade.

Dec. 6, 1911—Trial of the ten packers begun before Judge Carpenter.

The trial was one of the longest criminal trials in the history of the federal courts. It began Dec. 6, 1910, and the jury was sworn in Dec. 19. The first witness was called by the government December 28. The government put 49 witnesses on the stand and introduced 1488 documents in evidence. The record of the case contains 5,000,000 words.

It is estimated that the trial cost the packers $500,000 and the government about $100,000.

The first witness called by the government was Albert H. Veeder, the dean of counsel for the packers and personal legal advisor of the late Gustavus F. Swift, founder of Swift & Co. He gave a graphic description of the old packers pool which met every Tuesday afternoon prior to 1902 and gave the details of the method by which the fresh meat business of the country was controlled. He declared that no attempt was made to fix prices and divide territory after the old packers pool was dissolved in 1902. He also told of the attempt of the Armour, Swift and Morris interests to combine the packing industry into a billion dollar corporation and how the plan was dropped because of the inability of its promoters to finance it.

Nearly every witness called by the government in the trial was either an employe or a former employe of one of the corporations controlled by the defendants.

The defense cross-examined every witness at length and in this way got much of its side of the case before the jury.

The jury which heard the case was composed of the following:

J. E. Harvey, 50 years old, grocer, Wilton Center, Ill.

Edward J. Ryon, 45 years old, carpenter foreman, Streator, Ill.

Asa Bannister, 55 years old, farmer, Naperville, Ill.

H. I. Bucklin, 40 years old, farmer, Dundee, Ill.

Burton H. Meyers, 45 years old, Naperville, Ill.

William J. Thomas, 45 years old, grocery clerk, Ottawa, Ill.

C. H. Nare, 58 years old, drug salesman, Chicago.

Howard O. Bates, 43 years old, tailor, Chicago.

J. H. Edwards, 28 years old, employed by a telephone company as an inspector, Streator, Ill.

Adam Clow, 53 years old, retired farmer, Wheatland, Ill.

Thomas A. Scott, 61 years old, millwright, Chicago.

TO ENLIGHTEN SOUTH ON DANISH PLAN.

Copenhagen, March 21.—Dr. Maurice Egan, United States minister to Denmark, left today for America for the purpose of giving a series of lectures in the southern states. Dr. Egan's trip is in response to a special invitation from the Southern Commercial society to speak before the commercial bodies in a number of the leading cities of the south on the subject of "Danish Agricultural Co-operation and Conservation."

The position of Denmark as a school for the study of scientific agriculture is becoming more important every year and Dr. Egan has has made Denmark a leader in co-operative agriculture, especially the effect of the plan on the cost of living. It is his belief that the remedy for the present shortage in the food supply and the consequent high cost of living is to be found only in perfect co-operation among farmers, aided by the hearty support of the national and state governments.

EAST TENNESSEE TEACHERS.

Johnson City, Tenn., March 21.—Members of the East Tennessee Educational association gathered at the state normal school here today for what promises to be the most profitable annual meeting ever held by the organization. The meeting will continue over to morrow and Saturday and will have as speakers Superintendent James M. Greenwood of Kansas City, Dr. E. E. Rall of the University of Tennessee, William S. Bovard of the University of Chattanooga and several other well known educators.

MISSOURI VALLEY MEDICS.

Colfax, Ia., March 21.—The Missouri Valley Medical Society began its annual meeting here to day with an attendance of prominent physicians and surgeons from several states. Dr. J. M. Bell of St. Joseph, Mo., is presiding over the sessions, which will last two days.

OPENED BY KING AND QUEEN.

London, March 21.—The London Museum devoted to the display of many interesting relics and other exhibits intimately associated with the history of the mtropolis, was formally opened today by King and Queen Mary.

As "Ed" Howe Sees Life

The average man's idea of reform is that he suggests it, and others do it.

An optimist is a man who can transform good bad news into good news. So there are actually no optimists.

When there is a controversy between a man and wife as to which is "boss," only the divorce court can settle it.

There are two things all women say they never do—chase men, or nag them.

A man has something to do, and, if he doesn't do it, at least worries because of his shiftlessness; but a woman can frivol without minding it, or apologizing.

Who occupies the best rooms in a hotel? Did you ever get one? I sometimes think they are not occupied, like the drawing room on a sleeping car.

A good many women are panic-stricken about dress, and indulge in ludicrous experiments. But with men it is a black suit, a blue suit, or a gray suit, and all men's clothes are cut alike.

Some towns prosper in spite of everything. Chicago would have been a great city if every citizen had fought it, while other towns won't grow with the assistance of every citizen. Chicago has stolen many valuable institutions from other towns, but Chicago, and not Chicago men, did it.

All the women in a neighborhood assist in managing the men; a husband not only gets hints as to his duty from his wife and daughters, but many from the neighbor women.

I am a hero worshipper; but my heroes are the men who, having no better opportunities than others, accomplish greater results.

MARSHALL TALKS OF PLATFORM

Governor of Indiana Urges Party to Fight Against Special Interests.

Indianapolis, Ind., March 21.—Governor Thomas R. Marshall of Indiana, temporary chairman of the Indiana State Democratic convention, in his address urged Democrats to go this year to the people upon a platform, the cardinal principle of which is opposition to special privilege. Governor Marshall said in part:

"Ethics deny the dragging of a personal opponent into a public speech unless thereby a sharp distinction between views can be drawn. With Republican quarrels and controversies, we have nothing to do. We must appeal to the people of Indiana on the strength of our principles and the integrity of our candidates. We dare not rely upon the weakness of our opposition and it would be cowardly to do so did we dare. Sixty years is but a point in the circle of civilization, yet the last sixty have produced two men whose views will leave an impress upon all time. No liberty lover will ever care to forget the name of Lincoln, and none will be able to forget the name of Roosevelt.

"Lincoln held it to be the inalienable right of an unsuccessful litigant to go down to the tavern and cuss the court. It is the theory of Roosevelt that it is the right of an unsuccessful litigant to go down to the tavern, and overrule the court. Bitterness of spirit and indignation at what I deem to be judicial injustices seize me. Even now, I am chafing under what I conceive to be the unwarranted interference of the courts with my prerogatives. But my sober judgment looking to the permanent good of the people, impells me to insist that the courts must remain free and untrammeled, that we must first seek relief through the remedy we now have and patiently abide the lawful reversal of judicial injustice.

"Until the provisions of our present constitution with reference to officials are tried, and until graver evils arise than have thus far arisen, there is but slight demand for the initiative, referendum and recall. I am myself not in favor of these changes now, as I see no emergency for them, but I believe that wisdom demands readiness to meet any emergency.

"Honest representative government is the best that the world has ever known. The representative has far more time than the individual citizen to soberly consider that which is best for the people. He should possess more knowledge and skill in state craft than the average man or he should not be elected. He should indeed be honest and representative; if he is, ours is an ideal government.

"Let us get in power before we make too many demands of allegiance to sundry policies. A man may sit in Democratic councils, he may even help formulate Democratic platforms, he may vote for Democratic candidates, but he cannot be a Democrat if he believe in special privilege of any kind. It cannot be otherwise than that every special privilege in this country is either the legitimate offspring or the godchild, of the protective principle. Conscience is pliable. The desire for success unless curbed is ever-mastering. It is not hard to understand how the specious and explodable arguments of the past have warped the consciousness of men, otherwise honest."

ELKS' REUNION AT TUCSON

Tusson, Ariz., March 21.—Tucson, gayly decked out in the official purple, gave a hearty welcome today to the many visitors gathered here for the first annual state reunion of the Elks. Prominent members of the order from all over Arizona and from points in western Texas, New Mexico and southern California are in attendance. The reunion will continue over tomorrow. A street parade was the big feature of the opening day.

Mrs. Rause Servoss of Quincy was visiting Thursday with her brother, Carl Taylor, of East North street. She will go from here to Natrona to visit her parents, Mr. and Mrs. B. M. Taylor.

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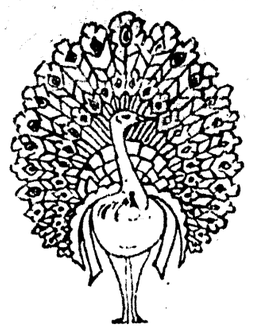

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Chicago Lim., Ex.-Sun, ar.	12:05p.m
Chicago Lim.ex-Sun. dpt.	12:45 pm
Chicago-Peoria Accom	6:00 am
Peoria-Bloomington Accm.	5:23 pm
From St.Louis	9:16 pm
Chicago "Red Hummer"	1:58 am
South and West Bound—	
Kansas City Flyer	3:31 am
St. Louis ac. daily	6:00 am
Kansas C-St. L. local	10:21 am
St. Louis-Mexico Accom	3:55 pm
Kansas City Express	11:15 pm

Burlington Route

North Bound—	
No. 47, daily ex. Sunday	11:22am
No. 11, daily ex. Sunday	4:50pm
South Bound—	
No. 12, daily except Sunday	6:55am
No. 48, daily ex. Sunday	2:08pm

Wabash.

East Bound—	
No. 72, local frt ex-Sun	11:17 am
No. 50, Springfield ac.	6:19 pm
No. 2, daily	8:23 pm
No. 28, daily	1:48 am
No. 4, daily	8:28 am
Nos. 2, 3, 4, 9, 15 and 28 will not stop at Jacksonville Junction.	
West Bound—	
No. 9, daily	2:02 pm
No. 73, local frt ex-Sun.	2:25 pm
No. 3, daily	7:06 am
No. 15, daily,	5:11 pm
No. 51 Hannibal ac.	10:20 am

C., I. & St. L.

North Bound—	
No. 36, daily	7:40 am
No. 38, daily	3:40 pm
No. 38, Sun. only	6:00 pm
Local freight	6:00 am
No. 35, daily	10:55 am
No. 37, daily	7:35 pm
No. 37, Sun only	9:05 pm
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POISONING CASE ATTRACTS NOTICE

Mrs. Sparling and Dr. Macgregor Will Stand Trial For Alleged Murder of Four.

Bad Axe, Mich., March 21.—The so-called Sparling poisoning case is to come up at the circuit court session starting here next Monday, and it is scarcely an exaggeration to say that every person in Huron county, and many beyond the county borders and even across the Canadian line, is awaiting the developments of the trial with eager interest. The case is regarded as one of the most complex that has ever come before the criminal courts in Michigan.

The defendants in the case are Mrs. Carie Bodie Sparling, the wife and mother of the alleged victims of a wholesale poisoning plot, and Dr. Robert Macgregor, the Sparling family physician. Dr. Macgregor formerly lived in London, Ont., but for several years has resided in the village of Ubly, a short distance south of this city, and the home of the Sparling family.

John Wesley Sparling, head of the family, was the first one to die. He was stricken in July, 1908. Two years later the eldest son, Peter Sparling, was similarly stricken. Albert Sparling was the next to die, and the last was Cyril Sparling, 20 years old, who died last August. In two of the cases a verdict of arsenic poisoning was returned by the coroner's jury.

Each of the victims was attended by Dr Macgregor and later removed for treatment to a hospital in London, Ont., where the deaths occurred. In this hospital Miss Marguerite Gibbs, said to be a friend of Dr. Macgregor, was employed as a nurse. Following the coroner's jury verdict in the case of Albert Sparling, Miss Gibbs was arrested and bound over on a charge of accessory after the fact. In the cases of Mrs. Sparling and Dr. MacGregor indictments charging first degree murder were returned.

It is understood that Mrs. Sparling and Dr. Macgregor are to be tried first for the alleged murder of Cyril Sparling, the fourth and last of the family to die under mysterious circumstances. Little has been made public concerning the evidence upon which the indictments were based. Even the probable motive that may have resulted in the alleged slaying of the father and three sons can only be guessed at by outsiders, though there is a general disposition to connect it with the fact that the victims carried life insurance and the policies were written by the father of Dr. Macgregor, a retired life insurance agent living in London, Ont.

Prosecuting Attorney Boomhower has secured the services of a prominent criminal lawyer to assist him in unraveling the mystery. He declares he has unearthed additional facts in the case which, when presented at the trial, will greatly strengthen the prosecution. Nearly one hundred witnesses already have been subpoenaed to testify at the trial.

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MEETING POSTPONED.

The date for the initiation of the big class of candidates of the Red Men of Chicago, the work to have been put on by the local degree team, has been postpond from March 25 until the 15th of April. The postponement was necessary on account of the death of the mother of W. D. MacFerran, great sachem of the state, which occurred at her home in Philadelphia, Pa.

MUCH DAMAGE TO ORCHARDS.

H. J. Rice of Arnold was in the city Thursday. He states that much damage was done to timbers and orchards in his community and that telegraph poles were down along the railroad for a half mile at a stretch. Mr. Rice started to Arnold on horseback, but it was almost impossible for the horse to get along, so he sent the animal back home and went afoot the rest of the way to the station. The roads now are practically impassable.

ELECTRIC LIGHT MEN MEET.

Springfield, Mass., March 21.—More than five hundred delegates from cities and towns throughout New England are attending the annual convention of the New England section of the National Electric Light association which assembled in this city today with headquarters at the Hotel Kimball. The program for the gathering covers two days and provides for the discussion of electrical problems by some of the leading experts of America.

WOMAN'S RELIEF CORPS.

The Woman's Relief Corps will meet this afternoon at the G. A. R. hall.

Mary H. Waller, Pres.
Mary F. Taylor, Press. Cor.

Ben McGowan is now one of the force of barbers at the Rose & Cully shop. Mr. McGowan's home is in Sommerset, Ky.

MOUTH HYGIENE IMPORTANT

Unsanitary Dental Conditions Cause More Physical Deterioration Than Produced by Alcohol.

The influence of dental diseases upon the general health because of the unsanitary conditions which dental diseases produce in the mouth, is much more disastrous than has generally been understood, though their effects are becoming more clear with increasing knowledge. There has long been a disposition to regard the mouth and its condition as of no consequence in its relation to health, instead of looking upon it as the gateway of nutrition; the avenue through which must pass all food upon which the nourishment of the body and the maintenance of health depends. Pure food laws are right and should be enforced, but a clean mouth is an equally important factor in the conservation of the national health.

Regarding the importance of mouth bygiene Dr. Wm. Osler says: "There is not any one single thing more important in the whole range of bygiene than the bygiene of the mouth. If I were asked to say whether more physical deterioration was produced by alcohol or by defective teeth, I should unhesitatingly say defective teeth." Dr. Wm. Hunter of London makes this statement regarding the effects of unsanitary mouths: "I desire to point out how common a cause of disease it is, how grave are its effects, how constantly it is overlooked and what remarkably beneficial effects can be got from its removal." Concerning the influence of such conditions upon the nose, throat and lungs Dr. Wadsworth says: "From the hygienic standpoint, the secretions of the mouth constitutes the chief, if not the only source of respiratory infections, and the infectious material is transferred from one person to another, in some cases through the air, as from sneezing or coughing, and to an even more serious extent by personal contact, or by the use in common of the various accessories of life." As it is the child who is most susceptible to decay of the teeth, with consequent unclean mouth, so it is the child who is the greatest sufferer, especially as it affects his growth and development. Concerning its effect in relation to infectious disease Dr. Henry G. Langworthy says: "A foul mouth and decaying teeth particularly in children, decidedly increase the chances of catching such contagious and infectious diseases as scarlet fever, diphtheria, measles and tuberculosis. A clean mouth will do much to prevent tubercle bacilli from gaining [illegible] the body."

In brief, dental diseases of whatever nature, always mean an unclean nad unhealthy mouth. But they mean more than this, and this is the important thing to be remembered, they are the cause of other and more serious conditions, such as digestive disorders, anaemia, mal-nutrition, septic poisoning, neuralgias, etc., and predisposition to such other diseases as diphtheria, tuberculosis and pneumonia, as well as the infectious diseases of childhood, of which there are several.

CARE WOULD SAVE TEETH

A Word to Prospective Mothers and Nurses—Popular Fallacy Is Disproved.

Twenty-five years ago pregnant women expected to suffer more or less from toothache and even to lose some of their teeth during this period. In fact, there are physicians today so ignorant of modern methods of oral hygiene that they ignore all proper instructions on this subject to their patients, and few trained nurses have any intelligent knowledge of their duties or opportunities in respect to the mouth conditions of their patients. But thanks to thorough and persistent efforts of dental scientists, it need no longer be said among intelligent people that every baby means the loss of at least one of the mother's teeth. There can be no question but the mother's teeth are more liable to decay during the pregnant period than at any other time; but it is not because of the old theory that the lime salts in the mother's teeth were needed to make the new teeth for the baby. Teeth do not decay from their internal or nourishing sources, as the flower which withers and dies when the sap is dried up or stopped; decay of the teeth is an external process resulting wholly from outside causes. It begins and proceeds from the exposed surfaces of the teeth gradually penetrating the hard calcified tooth substance until it reaches the pulp which is the vital organ from which it receives all its nourishment. Even when the pulp is exposed, it may be destroyed and removed, and although the remainder of the tooth has all of its natural nourishment cut off, if the decay be stopped, as may readily be done by modern dental art, the tooth still remains a healthy and useful organ for many years. In fact, the crown of a tooth may be entirely destroyed, but if the root can be preserved in a healthy condition, it may be made about as useful as though it had never suffered an attack of decay. We can even go further and say that modern dentistry can rescue teeth whose bony support has been almost entirely dissolved away by disease, making them efficient organs of mastication. This is modern dentistry, and it is one of the reasons why no tooth which has a reasonable amount of care and professional supervision should ever be lost, except from accidental causes or willful neglect, even by a pregnant woman.

WAS MEMBER OF FAMOUS FAMILY.

London, March 21.—The death of Arthur Sassoon, which occurred here a few days ago, has again brought to public attention the remarkable family of which he was one of the most prominent members. The story of the rise of the Sassoon family is as romantic as a chapter from the "Arabian Nights."

Abdallah Sassoon, the father of Arthur Sassoon, was a Bagdad Jew. For ages the family had been settled in Bagdad. They had the Semitic talent for making money and keeping it, and transmitted the gift to their posterity. As merchants, bankers and financiers they waxed rich, generation after generation. Finally Abdallah Sassoon's great wealth aroused the envy of his neighbors and he found it advisable to quit Bagdad and locate in Bombay.

In Bombay old Abdallah continued to accumulate wealth. He extended his connections and became as powerful in Asia and northern Africa as the great Rothschild family was in Europe. Several of his sons, including the one who has just passed away, were sent to England to be educated and remained here.

London society did not welcome the wealthy Oriental Jews at first. So the Sassoons waited patiently. And they hadn't long to wait either. Just how they managed it nobody knows, but it was not long before the late King Edward, then Prince of Wales, had dined with each one of the brothers in turn. Society gasped, but sniffed no more. From that time on the Sassoons were welcomed everywhere. To the time of his death King Edward remained firm in his friendships and frequently bestowed honors and other marks of his favor upon the three brothers.

NOT A SECRET.

Kathryn Dunne's Story.

It is said that in Europe when a woman finds a remedy that does her great good, she keeps it a secret for she does not want any other woman to be able to rival her charms.

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READ TO PUPILS.

Miss Georgia Lutkemeyer of the public library force, read to the children of the Jefferson school Thursday, at their regular chapel hour. Miss Lutkemeyer chose Kipling and the children were delighted with the stories, so cleverly told. The Jefferson school has planned something for the children each week.

AUGUSTA'S DAY TO CELEBRATE.

Augusta, Ga., March 21.—Augusta held a celebration today to call public attention to the fact that it has handled a half million bales of the 1911 cotton crop since September 1 last, a record never before attained in the history of the cotton market in this city. The celebration was conducted by the Augusta cotton exchange and board of trade.

State of Illinois, } ss.
Morgan County, }

In the county court, april term, A. D. 1912.

Notice is hereby given that Richard C. Reynolds, administrator of the estate of Kity Ann Pitner, deceased, with the will annexed, has filed his petition in the Morgan county court, in the state of Illinois, against Mrs. Nancy Hughes, William T. Davis, Margaret Dodd, William G. Eaton alias Gutherie Eaton, Lilila Catlin, George W. Register, John W. Register, William G. Register, Thos. Brown, George Brown, William Brown, Rosa Ashton, if living, if dead, the unknown heirs of Rosa Ashton or owners of said real estate, and Henry C. Robinson, to sell the following described real estate to pay debts, to-wit: Lot 8 and part of lots 19 and 20 in Stevenson & Retter's addition to the town, now city of Jacksonville, Morgan county, state of Illinois, described as fololows, to-wit: Beginnng a tthe southeast cornpr of lot 19 in said addition, running thence north on the east line of said lot to the northwest corner of lot 8, thence west to the west line of said lot 20, thence south to the southwest corner of said lot 20 and thence east with the south line of said lots 19 and 20, 110 feet to the place of beginning; that summons has issued on said petition returnable to said court at the April term thereof to be holden on the first Monday, being the first day of April A.D. 1912, at which time you can appear and plead, answer or demur to said petition of a judgment by default will be entered thereon.

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FOR RENT—Four room cottage. Ill. phone 1360. J. F. Kitner. 1-21-tf

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FOR RENT—April 1, a modern 8 room house, hot water, heat. Call afternoons at 324 Sandusky St. 17-tf

FOR RENT—8 room house. Call 218 S. Church. 20-3t

FOR RENT—Rooms suitable for light housekeeping. 352 W. Court St. 21-3t

FOR RENT—A large garden spot on shares. Call 1039 W. College ave. 22-tf

FOR RENT—Furnished room for gentleman. Call evening, after 6 o'clock. 200 N. Church St. 19-tf

FOR RENT—Four room cottage. Inquire Muehlhausen Bros., Ill. phone 758. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Five room house. Geo. Muehlhausen, 345 East Chambers street. 17-tf

FOR RENT—Cheap, one man's furnished front room, modern, soft water bath. Ill. phone 1495. 17-tf

FOR RENT—5-room cottage at 600 South Kosciusko. Ill. phone 1418. 15-tf

FOR RENT—First floor of my residence, 7 rooms and bath. Mrs. J. B. Wharton, 153 Pine St. 22-6t

FOR RENT—A modern house after April 1st, 1030 W. College ave. Apply at Allcott's drug store. 3-12-tf

FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—Rose Comb Rhode Island Red cockerels. Ill. phone 0134. 9-tf

FOR SALE—Horse, delivery wagon and harness. M. R. Fitch. 20-tf

FOR SALE OR RENT—4 room house, 2 acres ground. Manuel Souza, King street. 19-6t.

FOR SALE—White and Buff Orpington eggs for setting. Rawlings' Poultry Supply House, 218 South Sandy st. 3-21-tf

FOR SALE—S. C. Rhode Island Red eggs for setting. G. F. LaRue, 1515 S. Main. Bell phone 546. 3-1-tf

FOR SALE—Yellow Dent seed corn of crop of 1910, very fine quality, $1.75 a bu. A. A. Curry, Pisgah, Ill. 17-6t

FOR SALE—One mare with foal; one yearling colt, one heavy work horse. 1152 Hardin avenue. Bell phone 357. 19-tf

FOR SALE—Roll top desk, good condition. F. L. Hairgrove. 20-3t

FOR RENT—Good garden on shares. W. E. Hall, 709 S. Main.

FOR SALE OR RENT—Eight room house and barn near Deaf and Dumb. Anna J. Richardson, 122 City place. 21-3t

FOR SALE—Six room house and one acre ground, at reasonable price. Address A I, care Journal. 3-21-tf

MUST SELL BY APRIL 1ST—Four room cottage; two lots, well, cistern, cellar, fruit; $325 cash; $450 mortage at six per cent. Abstract deed. Illinois phone 399 or at Swifts. 20-6t

FOR SALE—Seven room house and three acres of land. Will sell for moderate payment down, balance in installments. W. L. Fay or J. W. Walton. 3-21-tf

FOR SALE—Seed corn, Reid's Improved Yellow Dent, extra selected F. L. Hairgrove. 17-3t

FOR SALE—Lot on North Church St., house No. 822, owned by Mrs. Wimberly's estate. M. T. Layman, executor. 17-tf

FOR SALE—Thoroughbred Jersey cow, 5 years old; also Barred Plymouth Rock eggs for setting. F. H. Thies. Ill. phone 538. 20-5t

FOR SALE—Choice prize winning seed corn by A. N. Hall and son, Jacksonville, R. R. No. 4. 7-1mo

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FOR SALE—Seed corn, 1910 crop, Reid's yellow dent, best in the world, $2.00 per bushel. Ill. phone 0143. Charles West, Jacksonville, Ill. 3-12-1m.

FOR SALE—Typewriters, extra bargains. Laning, 216 W. State St. 16-tf

FOR SALE—New modern 8 room house with barn; lot 50x300 feet; easy terms. Zell's grocery. 5-tf

PUBLIC SALE of Duroc Jersey bred sows. Sale to be held in Murrayville March 23. Sale begins at 12:30. Write for catalogue. Frank L. Hungleford. 14-9t

FOR SALE—5,000 white oak fence posts and 100 white oak and burr oak end posts. T. E. Laurie, 023½ Ill. phone. 23-tf

MEN'S clothing and furniture bought and sold. Dubbs, 212 S. Mauvaisterre St. 3-3-1m

FOR SALE—Brown Leghorn eggs for setting, 15 for 50c. Everett Reynolds, Ill. phone 084. 20-3t

UTILITY Barred Rock eggs for hatching. $1 for 15. Ill. phone 1012. C. O. Bayha, 343 E. Morton ave. 22-6t

FOR SALE—One-half interest in grocery store in Beardstown, doing a business of $150 per day. Will sell cheap. Other business interests reason for selling. H. D. Todd. 24-1mo

FOR SALE—Seed corn, 1910 crop. Reid's improved yellow dent yielded 101 bushel per acre. Guaranteed to sprout. $3.00 per bushel. Oak Lawn Retreat. 19-tf

FOR SALE—Grocery business. An entire new line of groceries will sell reasonable. Address L. B. care Journal office. 19-tf

FOR SALE—124 acre farm, 4 miles from Gillespie; good land and fine improvements; price, $80 per acre; terms.
100 acres good level land with fine improvements, 1 mile from railroad station, 5 miles to Gillespie; price $92 per acre.
6¾ acres, land good, 4 room house, 1 mile to Gillespie; the cheapest chicken and truck farm in Macoupin Co.; price $1,000.
Good timber lands, 100 miles south of St. Louis, on Iron Mt. R. R., for sale or trade, in tracts of 40 to 160 acres; price $8 per acre. 22-6t

A DESIRABLE FARM—Macoupin county, 120 acres; located two miles east of Brighton; divided by public road; ¼ mile school; 5 room frame house; barn, 30x40; granary; crib; smoke house; implement shed; land a good gray timbered loam, practically level; photos, plat and description sent on request; possession March 1st. price $90 per acre. For further information address Irving M. Clark, Brighton, Macoupin, county, Ill. 2-14-tf

MISCELLANEOUS.

RUG WEAVING—Mrs. A. E. Whitney, 724 N. East St. 17-6t

HELENTHAL & GERMAN, Carriage, Automobile Painting. 112 West College street. 20-tf

PARTIES wanting drain tile should call or write S. J. Baxter, Woodson, Ill. Have a stock of the famous Woodson tile to close out. Special rates on car loads. 17-1m

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WOODS' CARRIAGE AND BAGGAGE line. Order for all trains and special occasions; prompt and reliable service at all times. Both phones 174. Office at 219 East Court St. 3-1-tf

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LOST AND FOUND.

FOUND—The best line of trunks, suit cases, traveling bags, at Harney's, the Leather Goods Man, 215 W. Morgan st. 3-1-tf

LOST Saturday, pocketbook containing money, papers, wheel tax tag and receipt. Reward for return to this office 19-tf

WEDDING ANNOUNCEMENT.

Rev. H. E. Butler, formerly pastor of the Congregational church in this city, sends the announcement of the marriage of his daughter, Carolyn Rankin, to Joseph Weir Fairman, Feb. 1. The place of abode is not stated. The bride is a beautiful and accomplished young lady and all her friends in this city will unite in wishing her a happy voyage through life. Much of her life has been spent in benevolent work in the great city of Chicago and she has a record of which her family may well be proud.

DAMAGED BY WATER.

Among the troubles caused by the storm Wednesday night was a disaster which happened to the rear part of the building occupied by the Illinois Stock Exchange. The roof was overweighted and broke in doing a lot of damage to a great variety of goods. The exact amount has not yet been ascertained but it will be considerable.

MATT STAR POST, ATTENTION!

Members of Matt Starr Post, G. A. R., 378, are requested to attend the regular meeting tonight at 7:30 o'clock. Business of importance is to be transacted. A good attendance is desired.

J. W. Waller, Adjt.
C. E. Scott, Com.

WILL GO TO EUREKA.

Dr. F. W. Nickel, who has been in the city for several months, attending physician at the State School for the Blind and at the State School for the Deaf, has resigned and will go to Eureka and locate for general practice.

Dr. Nickel is a graduate of the College of Physicians and Surgeons of Chicago and for a time was professor of pathology in that institution, which is a branch of the University of Illinois. Afterward he was interne in the Cook county hospital, which was an important place for a young physician.

During his stay in Jacksonville he has made many friends who will regret to see him leave and will wish him success in his new field.

MANY VISITORS.

Though the walking was not wholly pleasant yesterday, Mrs. Stallings was pleased to receive a good number of ladies who were delighted with the fine array of spring millinery displayed. Mrs. Stallings has an efficient corps of trimmers and the hats they produce are models of beauty and good taste.

BIG BLUE ROCK SHOOT

At Concord saturday afternoon. Liberal cash prizes. Everybody invited.

IN HONOR OF MR. AND MRS. STRAUSS.

Mr. and Mrs. Lewis G. Olian of 5266 Maple avenue, St. Louis, will entertain tomorrow and Sunday in honor of Mr. and Mrs. Samuel Strauss of this city, who were recently married. Mrs. Strauss and Mrs. Olian will go to St. Louis today and Mr. Olian and Mr. Strauss will go down Sunday morning.

PLEASE REMEMBER.

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THE MARKETS

WHEAT MARKET.

Chicago, March 21.—Export sales on both the Pacific coast and the Atlantic strengthened the market today for wheat. Closing prices were at an advance of a shade to 1-8 to 1-4c net. All other leading staples showed a decline as compared with last night. Corn 3-8 to 1-2c, oats 1-2@5-8 to 2-4c, and hog products 5 to 12½.

According to a leading authority France was buying wheat cargoes at the western seaboard of the United States and was paying full prices.

CHICAGO LIVESTOCK.

Chicago, March 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 4,000; market, steady. Beeves, $5.15@8.65; Texas steers, $4.50@5.85; western steers, $5.00@6.85; stockers and feeders, $4.25@6.50; cows and heifers, $2.10@6.70; calves, $5.50@8.00.

Hogs—Receipts, 15,000; market, 30c higher. Light, $7.30@7.65; mixed, $7.30@7.75; heavy, $7.30@7.70; heavy, $7.30@7.75; rough, $7.30@7.50; pigs $5.70@7.00; bulk of sales, $7.55@7.70.

Sheep—Receipts, 14,000; market, strong. Native, $4,00@6.00; western, $4$4.50@6.25; yearlings, $5.50@6.80; lambs, native, $5.80@7.90; western, $6.25@8.10.

ST. LOUIS LIVE STOCK.

St. Louis, March 21.—Cattle—Receipts, 1,000, including 100 Texans; market strong. Native beef steers, $5.00@8.75; cows and heifers, $3.00@6.50; stockers and feeders, $3.75@6.25; Texas and Indian steers, $5.00@7.00; cows and heifers, $3.50@6.25; calves, in car load lots, $5.00@7.00.

Hogs—Receipts 600; market 25c to 30c higher. Pigs and lights, $5.25@7.55; mixed and butchers, $7.50@7.80; good, heavy, $7.55@7.80.

Sheep—Receipts, 500; market, strong, 10c higher. Native muttons, $4.25@$6.00; lambs, $6.00@$8.00.

HOME MARKETS.

Provisions.
Commission men pay:

Hens	10c
Old roosters	5c
Ducks	10c
Guineas, each	15c
Geese	6c
Turkeys	14c
Toms	12c
Eggs	16c
Butter	20c

Grocers pay farmers:

Apples	75c@$1.00
Potatoes	$1.00
Onions	$1.00@$1.25
Hens	10c
Springs	10c
Butter	30c
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Jacksonville Creamery Co. is paying for butter fat this week	30c

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A LARGE YIELD.

In the office of the Farmers' State Bank and Trust company is a picture taken from a government report and showing a boy of South Carolina beside a pile of corn which was a part of 228¾ bushels he raised on one acre of ground. This seems well nigh incredible but the official report should be pretty good authority and it shows what brains right material and faithful work will do.

In many counties in this state there have been prizes offered to boys under 20 years of age for the best yield of corn produced by them on an acre of ground and very good results have followed. The Journal would like to see some such enterprise started in this county.

A. Smith was a business visitor in St. Louis yesterday.

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You will note by Miss Held's letter that she has had experience with foreign built cars which cost her thousands of dollars. You will also note carefully that the Oakland is the first American built car that she ever thought the equal of the high priced foreign made cars. This is one of the best tributes that has ever been paid the Oakland, and, coming as it does from a woman who is in a position to judge of the comparative merits of high priced cars and medium cars, it should carry great weight.

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STREET RAILWAY FRANCHISE.

Sec. 7. Said City hereby reserves the right at any time hereafter to authorize any Electric Interurban Railway company operating into said city from a point ten miles distant from the public square therein, to operate its cars over said public highways upon the tracks of Grantee then laid thereon within the corporate limits of said city, upon condition and provided, always, that such Electric Interurban Railway company so authorized shall enter into a contract with Grantee for the use of said tracks and the poles, wires and appliances of Grantee for operating and lighting, but not for heating, the cars of such electric interurban railway company upon payments therefor by such electric interurban railway company to Grantee of twenty cents per mile for each and every car of whatsoever description operated by such Electric Interurban Railway company over said tracks, plus any local fares collected by such Electric Interurban Railway company.

Such contract further shall provide that for the purpose of compensation hereunder the minimum movement of each and every car of such electric interurban railway company over said tracks shall be considered not less than one mile; that the flanges and tread of the wheels of the cars of such electric interurban railway company shall not exceed seven-eights of an inch in depth and three inches in width respectively; that the weight of such cars, including motors, shall not exceed forty tons, double truck, and twenty tons, single truck cars; that operation of cars of such electric interurban railway company over said tracks shall be subject to the rules and regulations of Grantee. Such contract shall further contain the usual terms and conditions for the protection of Grantee and Grantee's tracks, stationary appliances, equipment and business and in general terms, form and substance shall conform, except as herein otherwise provided, as nearly as practicable to the contract under which the Illinois Central Traction company now operates its cars over the tracks of the Springfield Consolidated Railway company in Springfield, Illinois. It is understood and further provided that cars of such electric interurban railway company shall have the right to maintain the same schedule while on Grantee's tracks as cars of Grantee, so as to enable operation by such electric interurban railway company over Grantee's tracks as expeditions as that of Grantee, to the end that the service of such electric interurban railway company shall be as efficient as consistent with proper operation of Grantee's railway.

Sec. 8. In constructing, repairing and operating its street railway, the Grantee shall use every reasonable and proper precaution to avoid damage to persons and property, and shall at all times respond to the city of Jacksonville for and save it harmless from every damage, injury or loss, cost or expense caused or occasioned by reason of any act or omission of the Grantee in constructing, reconstructing, repairing or operating said railway, or in paving, repaving or repairing any street, or by reason of any and every act done under this ordinance.

Sec. 9. The Grantee shall charge passengers the following fares, to-wit, for a continuous trip in one general direction within the present or future limits of the operation of said street railway (including the extensions thereof, whether owned, leased or operated by it) within the present corporate limits of said city, the sum of five cents for each passenger of twelve years of age or over, and three cents (when paid by tickets to be sold by Grantee at its general office) for each passenger under twelve years of age; provided that children under six years of age accompanied by an adult paying fare shall be permitted to ride free;

It is further provided that Grantee at its general office in said city, shall sell to school children under eighteen years, upon presentation of a certificate of the principal in charge of the school attended that such child is a pupil of and regularly attending such school, books of tickets for a three-cent fare, entitling the pupil named upon or within such book to individual transportation, between the hours of 8 o'clock in the morning and 4:30 o'clock in the afternoon, of days on which school is in regular session; such book of tickets to be valid not later than 60 days from the date of sale and its use to be governed by such reasonable regulations as Grantee may adopt, provided that any unused ticket in any such book shall be subject to redemption after the expiration of the time limited for use of such book.

It is further provided that Grantee shall sell, at its said General office, subject to such reasonable regulations as it may from time to time enforce, books of 100 tickets for $1.00.

It is further provided that Grantee not charge policemen and firemen, when in uniform and on duty, any fare, but shall carry them free of charge; and also, that Grantee may, at its election, enter into such contract with the United States government for the transportation of post-office employees as it may desire.

It is also provided that Grantee may transport its own employes free of charge, under such conditions as it from time to time may adopt.

Sec. 10. The cars of the grantee shall at all times be entitled to the right of way of said tracks within the corporate limits of the city, and whenever any car or cars are approaching any vehicle or person on foot upon the said track, such vehicle or person on foot shall turn out, so as not to impede or interfere with the running speed of such car or cars.

Samuel Thompson of the Point neighborhood was among the visitors in the city yesterday.

LEWIS CASE MOVES ON IN ST. LOUIS.

Expert Accountant Gives Testimony About Real Estate Mortgages in University City.

St. Louis, March 21.—E. G. Rodert, expert accountant for the department of justice, spent most of the day on the witness stand in the E. G. Lewis case, testifying as to Lewis mortgaging of real estate in University City heights.

On cross examination counsel for Lewis read a letter written to E. G. Lewis July 3, 1908, by W. J. Holbrook, a real estate promoter. This was an apprisements of five sections of University City Heights, three of where were improved. Holbrook, according to Radert's interpretation of the letter estimated that the property when improved would be worth $2,028,000.

Radert testified that a total of $333,473 had been expended on the property at that time. Of this $34,125 was for ornamental gateways.

Several witnesses told of their investments in the Lewis enterprises.

(Political Advertisement.)

JUSTICE GEORGE A. COOKE.

THE EXCELLENT RECORD OF JUSTICE COOKE.

Justice George A. Cooke of the supreme court will be the Democratic candidate for reelection to the position he now holds, since he has no opposition before the primaries.

Justice Cooke, it will be remembered, was elected in September, 1905, to serve out the unexpired term occasioned by the death of the late Justice Guy C. Scott, and his work on the supreme bench has been such as to command the general approval of the bar of the state and of the people of his district. Although a Democrat in politics Justice Cooke's record has received the endorsement of such representative and influential Republican newspapers as the Chicago Record-Herald, the Illinois State Journal of Springfield and the Peoria Herald-Transcript.

Following are excerpts from editorials of two Republican newspapers:

(Chicago Record Herald.)

The fourth supreme judicial district is regarded as normally Republican, but it elected Mr. Cooke, a Democrat, by a substantial majority because of his ability, character and fitness.

Justice Cooke has earned renomination. He has the respect and confidence of his associates on the supreme bench; he is a careful, independent, conscientious judge. In considering cases he forgets partisanship and politics, as all fit judges do, or should do. He reaches his conclusions in cases on the law and the facts.

Judge Cooke is entitled to the votes of independent and broad-minded Republicans on his fine record. He will get many such votes, and will command the support of independent and Republican newspapers.

We are endeavoring in this and other states to keep judges out of politics and politics out of the courts as well as out of judicial campaigns. One way to further this essential principle is to return good judges regardless of their political affiliations. This is the part of sincerity, of consistency, of duty and of the highest public interest.

(The Aledo Times Record.)

While Judge Cooke passed most of his boyhood in Aledo, he was born near New Athens, Ohio. Being left an orphan, he was sent to Illinois to live with relatives, and although without means, he worked his way through the Aledo High school and Knox college. After receiving his degree from the latter institution, he entered the office of Pepper & Scott in this city to read law and soon after his admission to the Illinois bar in 1895, he practiced law in this city until his election to the supreme bench in 1909.

During the years of his active practice, Judge Cooke proved himself one of the most able lawyers in the state. He is a self-made man and is possessed of those rugged qualities peculiar to such men. As a candidate for renomination, Judge Cooke stands on his record as a member of the present supreme court. His interpretation of the law has revealed a fine judicial mind.

The facts are, Judge Cooke has made good. His work on the bench has been satisfactory to his associates and to the bar of the district. Republicans admit he is as strong with the voters at the present time as he was at the time of his last campaign, and his Democratic friends insist he is much more popular, and in this state there is a well established precedent to return to the bench a judge who is giving satisfaction.

STATE NEWS.

In Brown county there is reported great loss of young pigs, some men losing as much as 75 per cent of the creatures that are farrowed. The bad weather is assigned as the probable cause.

Philip W. Harlan, 75 years old, is in jail in Cairo charged with the murder of S. F. George, a hotel keeper of Cairo.

P. Ohnemus, a farmer of Adams county, attempted to commit suicide by hanging himself with his suspenders, but they broke and he was saved.

Mr. and Mrs. E. C. Hayes, living near Rockford, recently celebrated their 64th wedding anniversary.

George H. Baker of Pontiac was instantly killed by his brother, who accidentally discharged a shotgun when he went to awaken him.

The latest excitement in East St. Louis is a regular bulldog fight to the death, pulled off by a lot of city sports. The brutal affair was witnessed by a large number of persons and much money changed hands.

Iroquois and Kankakee county officials are quarrelling over a bill for the care of a smallpox patient. The Kankakee people say the man had the disease before he left Iroquois county as he was told so by a doctor there.

Charles J. Mulligan of Chicago was awarded the contract for erecting the monument at Edwardsville in honor of Ninian Edwards, the territorial governor of Illinois, and the establishment of Fort Russell, at Edwardsville, the monument to be dedicated on September 12, 1912, at the celebration at Edwardsville of the establishment of the first constitutional government in Illinois. The monument is to be of Georgia marble and Greek design.

A large number of persons in Madison suffered ptomaine poison by eating stewed chickens when had been left in a tin boiler. And only think; the meal was prepared by the Domestic Science club at fire department benefit.

Pike County Republican: Hon. J. D. Hess is still confined to his home by injuries which he received in Chicago four weeks ago yesterday. In company with Sam Williams he was walking along a down town street, and in stepping from the curb his ankle was severely sprained. He was taken to the train in a taxi and reached home next morning, and has not yet been able to use the injured limb.

Rev. Mr. Sigel, pastor of the Christian church at Sigel, has brought suit for $15,000 against John Thompson and some others in that place for slander. He was charged with conduct very unbecoming to a minister during a visit to Quincy when a circus was in that place and he claims to be wholly innocent.

J. L. Hoover and Elmer Mullen, two wealthy farmers of Vermillion county, fell out over the question whether a dollar's worth of holdback straps belonged to a buggy or not. They have gone to law and it is said will continue to the supreme court.

A newspaper in a neighboring town tells of a man in that place whose wife was a trifle dilatory about getting up in the morning. One morning she failed to get down stairs in time to receive her husband's parting kiss before he left for his office, so he kissed the hired girl, instead. The wife heard of it and from that time on she was always up promptly in the morning. The man told a friend of the success of his experiment, but the other said it wouldn't work in his case. The hired girl was a colored lady.

The highest elevation in the state is at Lanark Junction, Carroll county, 15 miles east of the Mississippi river. It is 947½ and is occupied by a barn belonging to M. Crabtree of that locality.

David Longnecker of Brighton killed himself with a shotgun. He was in good health and no cause is assigned.

In Danville two women were convicted of white slave traffic and were sent to the state prison.

Jerry Macomber of Sterling gave Oscar Lane $50 to get him a young wife to care for him in his declining years. Lane found a Miss Frieda Lindhorn, aged 29; they were married and she skipped out within a week.

Ten thousand rabbits were shipped from Mt. Vernon to New York a week just after the deep snow.

Mr. and Mrs. Michael Dean of Warren county are preparing to celebrate the 70th anniversary of their marriage, which took place in Fulton county, Illinois.

Students of Monmouth college have pledged themselves to put in the vacation raising funds for the $80,000 girls' dormitory planned by that institution.

Mrs. D. Daniels of Bloomington was washing a dress in gasoline and placed the large dishpan containing the garment on the stove, when there followed an explosion, almost causing the lady's death.

David S. Hill, one of Pike county's oldest citizens, died recently of heart disease at Griggsville. He was 90 years old.

Journeymen barbers of Springfield are insisting on a 12 hour day and there is likely to be trouble.

Howard Tuggle of Springfield recently committed suicide while in Kansas City.

The venerable Archbishop Spalding is critically ill at his residence in Peoria.

The dam in the Kankakee river at Wilmington went out recently, doing immense damage.

The Chicago & Northwestern Railroad company has been buying a lot of land in the vicinity of Virden and Girard for the extension of the St. Louis, Peoria & Northwestern railroad. Some of the land cost $600 an acre.

A wolf chase in Adams county covering over 10 miles, exhausting three packs of hounds landed an animal which had done immense damage in a hole in the ground, whence he was smoked out and killed.

Twenty-five years ago one P. H. Snively bought a 11 acre farm in Fulton county and sold it a few weeks ago. In figuring up the difference between cost and selling price he found that the increased value of the tract amounted to $1.10 for each day he had owned it.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

REPUBLICANS.

Representative.

I hereby announce my candidacy for the nomination for Representative in the General Assembly from this the Forty-fifth Senatorial District, subject to the decision of the primary, April 9, 1912.

Percy Owen.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Republican nomination for representative in the Forty-fifth district, subject to the Republican primary April 9, 1912.

T. E. Lyon.

For State's Attorney.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Fred L. Gregory.

Circuit Clerk.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

J. A. Rawlings.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

George W. Scott.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Arthur J. Hayden.

Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for commissioner of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

P. D. Megginson.

Commissioner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for commissioner of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Allinson Thomason.

For Coroner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Republican nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primaries April 9, 1912.

G. V. Skinner.

DEMOCRATS.

Representative.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the Democratic nomination for representative in the Forty-fifth district, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Wm. M. Cleary.

Circuit Clerk.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Eugene D. Pyatt.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

Charles E. Seymour.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for circuit clerk of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

J. Melchi Hart.

State's Attorney.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

Robert Tilton.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for state's attorney of Morgan county, subject to the primary, April 9, 1912.

William E. Thomson.

Coroner.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primaries April 9, 1912. E. N. Kitner.

I hereby announce myself a candidate for the office of coroner subject to the decision of the Democratic voters of Morgan county.

George W. Wright.

I hereby announce myself as a candidate for the Democratic nomination for coroner of Morgan county, subject to the primary April 9, 1912.

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